RTGAGED FOR OVER \$23,000.

e Hearing on the Petition Began Yes.

erday and Terminated To-Day\_

Electric Business to Go on

Without Intersuption.

In the circuit court last evening a peti-

on was presented for the appointment

a receiver for the Municipal Electric

ght and Power plant, which is located

West Cerro Gordo street. The atter.

y, representing the petitioners were

ca, Ewing & Walker and Leforgee &

e. There was a hearing on the peri-

on, W. C. Johns appearing for the de-

ndants. The petitioners were Jeffer.

The Allegations.

It is set up in the bill that on and prior

August 20th, 1894, the said company

a- possessed of real estate and buildings

r the purpose of manufacturing electric

tht. They owned the poles, wires, ma-

hinery, etc., and their capital stock was

42,560 in shares of \$100 each fully paid

p. The stock was owned by J. H. Cul.

er, Florence Culver and J. M. Willard

Being in need of money on August 26,

891, they applied to J. Millikin & Co.

or a loan of \$16,000, giving one 510,000

ad one \$6,000 note at seven per cent in-

erest payable annually. The notes were

o be payable in five years and to score

he same mortgages were given on certain

was agreed in the mortgage that the cor-

poration should keep the insurance paid

up, pay all taxes and special assessments

and maintain poles, boilers, machiners,

motors and all appliances in good repair

and to operate the same so as to seems

The receiver was asked for on the ground

that the mortgage given by the company

to Willard and Hight to secure the notes

has not been lived up. In the first place ;

it is alleged that the company did not

comply with the terms of the mortgage

and therefore have forfeited their rights.

The condition providing that the property

shall be kept up to its insurable value has

been violated, no policies having been de-

livered to the mortgagees. The mortgage

provides that the said company shall pay

all taxes and special assessments and in

default of such payment the mortgaged

debt shall be declared due. The company

has not paid taxes and special assessments

since the date of the instrument. The

mortgage provides that the company shall

operate the plant in a good business-like

manner, which it is alleged they have

failed to do. In case of a

forcelosure of the mortgage the

property and franchise of the company

shall be operated by a receiver appointed

by the court and the money paid into his

hands shall be applied first to the opera-

tion of the plant, the payment of the taxes

and special assessments and the surplus

shall be applied to the payment of the

The court decided that he had no jura-

diction in the matter as it was then pre-

sented to him. This forenoon the case;

was placed on the docket as of the present

June term, and then it came up in regu-

lar form. Judge Vail gave the case full

attention. He heard the bill read asking

for the appointment of a receiver. It was

substantially the same as the one present-

The appearance of Mr. Willard et al was

made in writing by Attorney E S Me-

Donald. Arguments in support of the

motion for the appointment of the receiv-

er were made by Attorneys Leforgee and

Crea, and Attorney Johns spoke in the

interest of J. C. Hostetler and E. L. Pe

gram, holders of second mortgages on the

At the conclusion of the arguments

Judge Vail granted the prayer of the pe-

titioners for a receiver and entered an order

that one be appointed to take charge of

the property. The receiver will be named

Notice to Republicans.

We, the executve committee of the De-

catur Republican McKinley club, hereby

notify the members of the club and all

other Republicans that we are informed

by Mr. Abbott that the hall had previous

ly been engaged by other parties and will

be occupied on Tuesday evening. There

fore the meeting of the club cannot be

perhaps today.

property, amounting to about \$7,000

ed to him for consideration last even

god tayor, etc., from the public.

n G. Willlard and R. W. Hight.

The Daily Republican.

### OVER THE TROCHA.

Four Companies of Cuban Women Aided in the Victorious Attack.

SPANIARDS SURPRISED AND ROUTED.

Amazons-Bermudez Sent Into Havana Province with Fifteen Hundred Men.

p a bone's have been destroyed by the \$800 of decorations, and 26,000 bushels of to itself and the worthy officers of the Shis, mish army, many of them mourn the corn, from being reduced to ashes. They lob Battlefield association demanded an blats In consequence their feeling is a singular fact, which has aroused the at het the Spaniards is one of bitterest superstitions fears of the local McKinley tion was formed for the purpose of pur- a blaze resulted. When Maceo moved to attack the boomers, that every one of the eighty life-chasing the lands, or a part of the lands, 10 B of Havana province. The attack Not a portrait of McKinley is leit. The General McClernand of Springfield, Ill., wis saide at night, some distance north consignment of Mark Hanna having been was chosen as president, D. J. W. Coleof San Marcos, and was successful, all exhausted, the train must go into St. port Carri Macco was repulsed. A letter represented Kingman, Harvey and Logan

completely by surprise. There were two will make speeches, and Governor Morbut thous of troops at the point attacked | rill and state officers and other distinand we doubled them up and poured in a guished Kansans and Oklahomans will be for the killed over 100, and wounded present. The train will not arrive in St. nearly .40 more. The Spaniards broke Louis until two days before the national and ded a tew of them taking refuge in convention. a small fort. We used our field pieces and denante against the fort and soon detolished it. The Amazons fought like funes Nearly everyone of them had suffered grievous wrongs from the Spanand they took the opportunity for Spaniards, hacking them with machetes. the women were thoroughly aroused and would not obey commands. Finally general alarm was sent in. Matter had to threaten to shoot the wo-Pan unless they stopped backing the enenv After the battle Bermudez, with 1 :10 men, crossed the trocha into Havana province while Maceo, with the re-Amazim- returned to the stronghold in

Pinar del Rio mountains. The letter states that Maceo has 20,000 ran nearly all of whom are well armed. He dee has ten cannon, three of which were raptured in thhe recent attack. As som is the rainy season is well advanced it is braived Maceo will make a general the vellow fever decimating the troops station don the trocha, so as to render it Fish to carry the line.

#### (ampos-Borrero Affair,

due! The court ramed a military judge and presenter to investigate the case, ed to obtain from the senate permission to pione di against Marshal de Campos and General Borrero, they being members of the - rate The impression prevails that it will probably take place far from Maccial, perhaps beyond the frontier. Saidem has any military scandal caused such a profound and painful sonsation. As the marshal (he is 67 years old) is handi apped by corpulence and slow action of the heart, it is probable that he would le the victim in an encounter. Hence popular and millitary sympathy is areas d in his favor in a nation ever trady to admire noble and generous im-

held in the hall on that evening as agreed upon at the last Thursday evening meet ing, and we have taken the liberty to (ubans Thrown)Into Boiling Molasses. change the time of meeting to Thursday New York, June 8 .- A letter to the evening, June 11, and have arranged to Cubin Junta, received Sunday, says that occupy the hall that evening. Respecta battle was fought early last month on W. F. Calbeun, El Irunfo plantation, between the Cu-J. M. Clokey, has under Jose Maceo and the Spanards . R. P. Lytle. under General Lachambu. The planta-Commistee tion belongs to an American named Whit-There will be a free hand concertat ney, whose home is in Philadelphia. Of Ma cas 1,500 men, 64 were killed or Riverside park on Sunday afternoon. Power.-Latest U.S. Gov't Report flag of the United States, and claimed pro-I Baking Powder tection in its name, but the Spanlards fact, but his cook, and set fire to his buildings. As a fit climax to the barbarity they threw the two Cuban prisoners whom they had captured into boilling

> dead next morning. Depository Banks Called On to Pay Bal-

emment money. The amount involves comes from Milwaukee. 4,500 000, payable by June 15

The New Sultan Entironed Teheran, June 8 .- Muse ffer-Ed-Din, new sutlan of Persia, formally enthroned his afternoon.

THE KANSAS CORN TRAIN.

Struck by Lightning-Every McKinley

Portrait Carried Away by a Cyclone. Wichita, Kan , June 8 .- At 4 o'clock Sunday morning, Dixson's train of forty cars of corn, which was to be started this evening for the St. Lous convention, by ex-Senator Ingalls, was struck by lightning at the little town of Oatville, five miles outside of this city, where it was Weyler's Soldiers Hacked by Infuriated | decorated and made ready to be run into | And Charged with Conduct Unbeccomthis city tonight. Three cars with their cargo of corn were burned to the ground as was, also, the Missouri Pacific depot. Oatville is a little town made up entirely of Populists, but, notwithstanding that, was west Fla., June 8.—In the recent the people rushed out of their beds to a at' a which General Antonio Maceo man, formed themselves into a bucket the recent partial failure of the reunion ... on the trocha four companies of brigade, and dipping the accumunalisted on the Shiloh battlefield, consequent upon Citan women took part, according to ad- rainwater from the ditches from either the persistent interference and attempted A first owned in this city. These women | side of the track, where there was intense | domination of E. T. Lee, late of this city, have paid the insurgent army because heat, they saved the rest of the train, with Franklin Post G. A. R. felt that injustice

god wa Cuban leader describing the counties. The train will start today with thon E. T. Lee has been adjudged by the thirty-seven cars, and it is expected that W -truck the strong line about 8 between 30,000 and 25,000 people will the Republic guilty of gross misconduct the standard night, taking the Spaniards witness it. Ingalls and J. R. Burton

#### BIG FIRE AT PEORIA.

Loss of Nearly \$25,000 Occasioned by Blaze in the A. T. Stewart Building. Peoria, Ill., June 8.-At 1:30 Sunday merning fire broke out in the rthec story revenge They rushed on the wounded block at the corner of Washington and Fulton street, occupied by the A. T. Stew- and Dr. J. W. Coleman in their determination Matto tried to stop the slaughter, but art Carriage and Buggy company. It ination to take such steps as would free spread with remarkable rapidity, and a them from official association with so un-

It was 5 o'clock this morning before the fire was extinguished. The building, owned by the Reynolds estate, was daminsurance. A. T. Stewart's loss on bug- and the Globe Democrat, and a copy be mainder of Bermudez's column and the gies, carriages, wagons and bicycles will sent to General McClernand at Springamount to fully \$10,000, also covered by field, Ill., Dr. J. W. Coleman, at Montiingurance.

The Ferren Commission company suf- cah, Ky." fered a loss of \$35,000 by fire and water; insurance \$25,000.

Nothing is known as to the origin of the fire. The department was greatly hampered in its work because of the payassist on Weyler's line. Maceo counts on ing of the street which is now in progress.

#### BEHRING SEA CONVENTION

To be Proclaimed in a Few Days-Hints

as to Its Contents. will, in a few days, proclaim the Behring Atmy corps. The supreme military court | British scaling vessels seized by the Unitand Saturday to consider a communical ed States revenue cutters in Bebring sea. ments concerned cannot agree on an arbitrator the president of the Swiss conwith the usual dilitary formalities requir- federation shall name him. The amount awarded to Great Britain, if any, shall be paid within six months.

Downing Returns Home. Virginia, Ill., June 8 .- Hon. Finis E. Downing, ex-member of congress from the Sixteenth district, unseated last Friday, arrived home from Washington Sunday and will devote today and tomorrow shaping matters for the congressional convention to be held in Jacksonville Wednesday. Following instructions from the county convention, Mr. Downing has selected the following delegates: L. A. Petefish, Theodore Schaar, J. F. Robinson, John Schultz, Robert H. Garm, William Buracker, Welter S. Rearick, A. M. Pendleton, being the same delegation which stood so loyally by him two years ago. The Democrats in this part of the district claim fraud in Scott county in the unseating of Mr. Downing, and feel confident he will be reonominated Wednesday and returned to congress.

Child Hanged in a Bedstead. Cumberland, Md., June 8 .-- An infant Wennded, and of the 2,000 Spaniards the daughter of William H. Fredlock of Fiedloss was about 300. Whitney raised the mont, W.Va., accidentally hanged herself by working her feet and body through between the iron rods in the foot of the bedpulled it down, spat upon it, tore it into stead. The body was thus suspended and shreds and trampled it into the earth. the head remained fast, causing death by They killed six of Whitney's help, all, in strangulation. On account of her mouth being forced against the bed clothes, her ories could not be heard, and when found

life; was extinct. O'Brien Still Alive.

New York, June 8.—James F.O'Brien, molasses, where they were both found who was shot in the breast early Sunday morning, is still a patient in the hospital, and will recover. He declines to tell who New York, June 8.—The United States shot him. John W. Hahane of Council treasury called on the depository banks Biuffs, Iowa, is under arrest on suspicion for the balance of their holdings of gov- of having done the shooting. O'Brien

Cinque courts Yacht club regatta today, herself through the heart. Hay and the feet under ground." The owner of the Dover, Eng., June 8.-In the Royal Emperor William's Metror again defeated the Prince of Wales' Britannia.

#### STORM IN SPRINGFIELD. GRAND ARMY ACTION

at Monticelio

ing a Soldier and Citizen-

Gross Miscon-

duct.

Monticello, Ill., June 8.-In view of

proper tribunals of the Grand Army of

charged from the Grand Army of thu Re-

"Resolved, That Franklin Post, No.

"Resolved, That these resolutions be

HOSPITAL DEDICATED.

ters of St. Francis. He said the new hos

pital rather imitated or emulated the

JULES SIMON DEAD.

ach Trouble at the Age of 83.

eral days and he was about to leave her.

night, fresh westerly winds.

Tuesday: westerly winds.

L. H. Kerrick.

the association, therefore, be it.

of Dollars Worth of Damage

Springfield, June 8 .- For three house Caused by a Cloud-Burst in the E. T. Lee Repudiated by the Post last night the city was swept by one of the most violent electrical and thur der storms ever known in Central Illinois. Many thousands of dollars of damage re-THE "COLONEL" WAS TOO BOSSY usuited. Many of the first floors of residences were flooded. The municipal telegraph, fire and police electrical system was knocked out for eight hours. The city was in darkness most of the night. The state house electrical system was dumolished. Thousands of drowned sparrows covered the ground this morning.

> lars in the business portion of the city were flooded. In a short time the sewers were overtaxed and water flooded the lowlands in this city. The cloud-streets. It was shortly after 8 o'clock when the storm commenced. The lightning played

The rain feil in torrents and many col-

havoe with the Capital Electric Light night and all the low-lying part of the 1 control of the prompt and an expression form it as a post concerning plant. All the circuits were burned out town was flooded to a depth from and and the low-lying plant and an the low-lying plant and the low-lying plant. All the circuits were burned out town was flooded to a depth from the concerning plant. All the circuits were burned out town was flooded to a depth from the concerning plant. All the circuits were burned out town was flooded to a depth from the concerning plant. All the circuits were burned out town was flooded to a depth from the concerning plant. All the circuits were burned out town was flooded to a depth from the concerning plant. All the circuits were burned out town was flooded to a depth from the concerning plant. All the circuits were burned out town was flooded to a depth from the concerning plant. All the circuits were burned out town was flooded to a depth from the concerning plant. All the circuits were burned out town was flooded to a depth from the concerning plant. All the circuits were burned out town was flooded to a depth from the concerning plant. All the circuits were burned out town was flooded to a depth from the concerning plant. All the circuits were burned out town was flooded to a depth from the concerning plant. than wath at the hands of the Spanish accompanied the lightning storm, and it last night's meeting. It was as follows: were repaired and the lights turned on. "Whereas, A few years ago an organiza- The wires became cross at the station and The fire department was called upon

the was accompanied by these Ama-sized portraits of the Ohio statesman were upon which the great memorable battle but the flames were extinguished before torn from the train and scattered for nules of Pittsburg Landing was fought, to be the engines arrived. At the Springfield known as the Shiloh Battlefield assecia- Electric Light and Power company's re was maced a purpose to areas, around the country in sureds and pieces. Known as the Shilon nattenent assectation, and at the time of its organization works several fuses were burned out letter, northwest of here, the depot is a province. The attack Nat a portrait of McKinley is left. The Gaparal McClearand of Sprengfield III and the lights were out for a few minutes. The police and fire alarm system was in bad shape all night, but the tele through the building while the operaman of Franklin Post, No. 256, G. A. R., Marcos, and was successful, al- exhausted, the train must go into St. man of Frankin Post, No. 250, O. A. R. Indian the Spaniards in their official re- Louis without them. The cars destroyed treasurer, and E. T. Lee of the same post phone and telegraph systems in the city tor works his key.

The Union Pacific is under water water and E. T. Lee of the same post phone and telegraph systems in the city phone and telegraph systems. The Union Pacific is under water to the control of the same post phone and telegraph systems. were not seriously damaged. as secretary; and since such organiza-

Street cars did not run for over half an hour as the switchboards at the station became so hot that the power had to be shut off until the storm subsided. The unbecoming a soldier or a citizen, and notwithstanding his being honorably dis- storm was at its worst just as services in many of the churches were over. Because the richest farming districts in the the cars were not running the demands public, he presumes arbitrarily to assume the duties as such secretary; and as Gen- for other modes of conveyance was great and the carriages had all they could do. cral McClernand as president, and Dr. J. W. Coleman as treasurer, on account of such continued assumption of authority there was a drizzling rain all night.

At the opera house the cellar was floodby the said E. T. Lee, have tendered their resignations as president and secretary of ed, there being five feet of water in it. The water flowed into the power house of They sought Shelter from a Storm in the state house so fast that the electrical engine had to be shut off. 256, G. A. R., department of Illinois, com-

mend the action of General McClernand AT THE UNIVERSITY OF ILLINOIS. Baccalaureate Address Delivered by Pres worthy a person as E. T. Lee, and be it

Champaign, Ill., June 8 .- The commencoment exercises of the University of small boys, the four named and two Illinonis were inaugurated Saturday others, Mike Cummings and George published in one or all the city papers, afternoon by the baccalaureate address by Newsome, rushed to a culvert for shelaged by the extent of \$10,000, covered by the National Tribune, the Inter-Ocean, President Draper. The address was de-ter. livered in the chapel, and it was crowded to the doors. The chapel was tastefully realize what was happening and four to the doors. The enapei was testering of them were carried off by the rush decorated by the junior class, and the of water. Three of them were carcello, Ill., and Charles Lofland at Paduclass colors were all in evidence, with the ried down to the river, which is not far orange and blue of the university predom- from the culvert. The body of Mike inating. Directly back of the speaker's Desmond was recovered under the desk was draped the large national flag of | trestle work of the Northwestern railthe university. The platform was filled way which was caught by the obstrucby the faculty and other members of the tion. The two other boys escaped. Protestant Institution Near Bicomington corps of instruction. Dr. Draper talked the creek dragged, but nothing could Bloomington, Ill., June 8.—The Protabout an hour, entitled his address, "The be found of the three boys. The Newestant hospital, conducted by the Order of Last Message of the University to the some boy states that he wanted to car-Deaconesses and situated midway between class of '96." He dwelt briefly on the ry the little fellows on his buck, but day. An incident of the occasion was a donation of \$5,000 received from John and the university, so soon to he severed, New York, June 8.—A Washington spe- Darst of Eureka, and the subscription, of commended the class for its creditable on traubles between General Borrero cial says the president and Queen Victoria \$1,000, by those present. Including those work, and expressed his belief that, as denations, the institution starts out with about \$5.000 to its credit. The hallding and religible friends to its credit. an autoup to fight a duel, an official de- Sea convention. It provides for appoint- about \$5,000 to its credit The building and valuable friends to their alma mater. and the ment of a joint commissioner to ascertain and the ground cost \$10,000. Four other He went on to outline the conditions hailstorm in Chicago yesterday after Brice from the command of the 6th the amount of damage sustained by the buildings are to be added, making a which the outgoing students would meet noon and in the southeastern district There was a large attendance. President battlefield, but one whose chief weapons rain. In Hyde Park and W. H. Wilder, of the Illinois Wesleyan are those of diplomacy. He reminded all basements were flooded with water w. n. wilder, of the invocation. Dr. his hearers that independence is not half Many trees were blown down. John L. White, member of the house of so important an element of character representatives, was the first speaker. He leading to success as a proper feeling of the mutual dependence of mankind, and Grace streets was partially destroyed controverted the idea that prevails in he emphasized the fact that all great by the wind. Two boats were capsome quarters that the new hospital opposes in anyway the Roman Catholic hos- movements and worthy results are atpital of St. Joseph, conducted by the Sis- tained by intelligent co-operation.

#### WILD WHEAT MARKET.

Chicago Sees a Wild Day at the Instance of Jack Cudaby.

great work done by the Catholic sisterhood, and that the new institution would do good for suffering humanity upon sim-Chiengo June 8 .- Today's wheat may lar lines. Dr. Sunger, of Chicago, origket was the wildest for mouths. Fluctunator of the hospital and of its manageations were rapid and bewildering with nent by the deaconesses, delivered at ad- jumps of near a cont at a time were fredress, in which he dealt with the object quent. July opened one-fourth higher of the Descenesses' hospitals, of which the than the close of Saturday, or at 621/s. leading ones are at Cleveland and De- After touching 2% it reacted quickly to 61%, and bounded to 3%, then collapsed troit. Others who spoke were President John W. Cook, of the Illinois State Nor- to 6034, but recovered to 62, then went off to 1%, and thereafter fluctuated narrowly. mal University, Jonathan H. Rowell and Heavy buying and selling by John Cudaby and prominent brokers were the chief influences, though a number of news notes on current crops also affected The French Statesman Succumbs to Stom

#### A Cyclone Cellar

Parls, June 8 .- Jules Simon, the dis tinguished statesman formerly premier, There is one man in Kansas who has lied to day aged eighty three. The immade all possible preparation for dodgnediate cause of his death was neurosla ing cyclones. Underneath his house is a of the stomach. The sacrament of the large cellar, in which are kept the family church was administered to him Sunday. provisions. On one side of this collar and into the earth beyond descends a Weather This Afternoon and Touday. flight of stairs leading into another cellar. Chicago, June 8 .- Illinois: Partly The latter cellar is cemented from top to cloudy tonight and Tuesday; cooler tobottom and is so carefully constructed that not a drop of water can enter. A Iowa: Fair tonight and Tuesday, coolventilating shaft reaches the open air er extreme east tonight; warmer west above, making it impossible for a person in the cellar to become suffocated. This South Dakota: Partly cloudy tonight subterrancan abode is the envy and adand Tuesday; warmer west central tomiration of the neighbors, but "every night; variable winds, shifting to westrose has its thorn." In the neighborhood llves an old farmer who is something of a Murder and Suicide at San Prancisco. San Francisco, June 8.-John W. Hay, ye think ye're doing?" he queried ers on the bottoms found themselves assistant editor of the Journal of Com-"Building a cyclone cellar." "Yo jest surrounded by the flood. They were merce, was shot and killed late last night, by Mrs. Nina MacDougall, said to be the might as well stop wastin' yer muscle, fer wife of a drummer for a barbed wire com- if ye're born ter git killed by one of them pany, of Chicago. The woman then shot | danged cyclones it'll git ye if ye're flity woman had been living together for sev- cellar never quite recovered his faith after

this bit of fatalism.

### A NIGHT OF TERROR.

Loup River Valley.

MARY TOWNS AND CITIES INUNDATED.

Great Loss of Life and Destruction of

Property Caused by Cyclones, Hailstorms, Heavy Rains and Floods-Chicago Visited.

A Night of Terror Caused by a Cloud-Burst in the Loup River Valley.

COLUMBUS, Nebs, June 7.- Last night was one of terror to residents of the night made the sluggish Loup river a raging torrent and to the volume of water was added the heavy rain of last when occupants of the house were forced to fice to higher ground. The situation was but little improved today, but with no more rain it is thought that the water will soom re-

The other towns in the Loup valley nearly ave feet, and the water runs

and trains are laid up here. Much of the track has been washed out further west.

The Platte river is beginning to rise, and there are fears of floods in the Platte bottoms further east, one of ьtate.

Since seven o'clock last night the Loup river rose five feet. Much livestock was drowned south and west of For half an hour the rain was heavy and here, but there are but two fatalities there was a drizzling rain all night.

#### FOUR BOYS DROWNED.

Culvert, and Were Washed Away.

LEAVENWORTH, Kan., June 8 .- Mike and Dennis Desmond and Eugene and Denny Cummings were drowned here yesterday. About two o'clock in the ufternoon a cloud-burst came upon the city, and no such flood of water has en witnessed here for many years Upon the approach of the storm six

The flood came before they could

The alarm was promptly given and

CHICAGO, June 8.—There was he avy were carried away and the roof of the Waukesha flats at Sixty-fourth and sized by a squall on the lake, one at Thirty-nineth street and the other at south Chicago. Eight people in all were thrown into the lake but all were rescued alive except Gus Schitour, who was in the boat turned over at south Chicago. Schitour was drowned and his body has not been recovered. Further Particulars of the Storm in

Sr. PAUL, Minn., June 8.-Reports received in St. Paul up to 11 o'clock last night indicate that the damage done by the great storm will reach fully \$300,000. The loss of human life is not yet known, but three people are known to have perished. W. Castleton, of Ash Lake, E. W. Hunter, of Adrain, and Moses Chadwick, of Nobles county. There were it least one thousand cattle, sheep, hogs and horses drowned in southwestern Minnesota.

The greatest casualties were at Luvrne and on the Rock river. Two cloud-bursts struck the latter in three bours and the river overflowed the country for miles. Many people were forced to take to trees or the roofs of their houses and a rescuing party was sent out for them from Luvrne. current was so swift that the rescuers were overturned and themselves rescued with great difficulty. A second party saved twenty or thirty peo-

ple who were in grave peril. Many business houses were flooded in Luvrne. Across the border in South Dakota, at least ten thousand scres of grain was ruined by flooding. eral houses and elevators were blown down at the town Chapel, S. D.

Indian Creek Again on the Rampage. BEATRICE, Neb., June 8 .- A repetition of the disastrous flood four years ago was witnessed here yesterday. fatalist. He passed by one day while the Indian creek rose six feet in less than cellar was being dug. "Well, now, what an hour when a portion of the dwell-

> rescued by boats. A bad washout occurred on the Uniou Pacific tracks and trains have

been run on the B. & M. The Blue river rose rapidly and last Cuvier was the most famous compara-evening stood within 32 inches of the tive anatomist and the founder of the highwater mark.

#### Two men and two women whose names could not be learned attempted to cross Bear creek and had a narrow escape. Their horses were drowned

the carriage swept away and the oc-cupants only saved by clinging to trees along the bank. If more rain falls to-night, as seems probable, seri-

ous results will follow. The Wesst Flood Ever Known-

SPRINGS, S. D., June 8.-The south ern black hills country was visited by a flood Saturday, the like of which has never been known. The Elkhorn track between Smithwick and l'ai burn was so badly damaged that it is thought it will take a week to repair it. In some places the track has been swept off the roudbed and twisted up into fragments. The telegraph pole and wires are swept away for half a mile at a stretch in places, and gen eral havor and ruin has been wrough

along the line of road. The Cheyenne river is running ove the top of the bridge at the railroad crossing, and unless a transfer is made via Crawford to the B. & M. it will be several days before mail and passenger traffic is resumed. Supt. Harris and his men are working like Trojan's of the majority. Read a resoluto get things straightened out, but little can be done until the waters recede. Danneborg, Neb., Flooded by a Cloud-Burst. ST. PAUL, Neb., June &-As a sequel

o Friday night's cloud-burst the vilage of Danueborg, nine miles west of here, was flooded Saturday night, The town is on low-lying ground and pelled this action to 10 50 is intersected by a stream called Oak appeared and the hope proceed creek. This began to rise in the early sider a number of a mer maevening and by nine c'clock seven feet of water was flowing through the

Many people were obliged to leave their homes, being warned in time to prevent loss of life. Sidewalks, fences and small outbuildings were set adrift by the torrent. No mail has reached St. Paul since Wednesday.

Canton, Ohlo, Struck by a Violent Storm CANTON, O., June 7. - A heavy storm passed over Canton and vicinity yesterday morning. The Canton. & Mas-sillon electric railroad is blocked with a huge landslide. The Catholic church at West Brookfield was destroyed by lightning. Two hundred feet of the sidetrack and main track of the Cleveland, Lorain & Wheeling railway was washed out. A number of houses in Canton were struck by lightning and two children of Samuel Sell badly shocked. Trees innumerable uprooted, cellars flooded and lawns damaged.

#### THE SAENGERFEST

the North American bacagerbu Opened by President Cleveland Touching a Button.

PITTSBURGH, Pa., June 8.—At eight o'clock this evening, in Exposition Music hail, in this city, the twentyeighth suengerfest of the North Amer ican saengerbund will be officially opened by President Cleveland press ing a button in the White House which will illuminate an immense lyre at the rear of the stage in the hall. The current will travel through

a coil of wire 16,000 feet in length at tached to the lyre in the hall, and this coil is to be clipped into small pieces mounted on dainty cards with appropriate inscriptions and presented to visitors.

The exercises will consist of a reception to the visitors given by the societies of the two cities, nearly a thousand voices in a male and mixed chorus, with soloists and the fest orches-Mmc. Katherine Lohse-Klafsky, fest

prima donna, and occupy one of the boxes as guests of tarian school question. The honor. At the close of the concert a 'Kommers" will be held in Old City

The first of the army of singers who will storm Pittsburgh this week reached the city last evening on a special train from Indianapolis and Dayton, O. Nearly one hundred members of the Indianapolis mannerchor and the Davton gesangvorin harmonic were met at Union station by a large reception committee and, after being served with refreshments, were escorted to the headquarters assigned

A telegram was received yesterday afternoon from St. Louis that 150 singers had started for Pittsburgh and would arrive this morning. This was welcome news, as, since the cyclone, the St. Louis singers had about decided to remain at home. They finally, however, yielded to the persussions of some of the Pittsburghers who went on for that purpose. The Cincinnati societies will arrive early to-day, 300 strong, shouting for and booming their city as the next meeting place of the fest. Their chances to land the prize are good. By this evening it is expected that

large delegations from 113 German singing societies from all over the country will be on the ground, making a total of over 2,000 foreign singers which, with the societies of the two desired end, the rehef of wa cities will bring the number of vocal- ing may be realized ists to take part in the fest between 2,. 700 and 3.000.

One of the events yesterday was the arrival on a special train from New News has become lively by York of Fest Director Heinrich George Fish who a travell Zoeliner and the fest orchestra of 75 with M. W. Stoddard and pieces composed of the best musicians two gentlemen left Decate from Damrosch, Scidel and New ago and going to Colora York Philharmonic orchestras, Pittssals of the choruses from the Kansas. Mr. Fish writes two cities which are to take part in the recention concert have been to dard's health is poor and the recention concert have been to be the recent to the rece burgh. On their arrival, relientthe reception concert began at Music be in a critical condition. hall and continued until late in the the prairie seems to have afternoon. Director Zoelner pronounced the hall an ideal concert auditorium and expressed satisfaction with the work of the mixed chorus. It was announced to-day that Frau Lohse Kinfsky, the Wagnerian dramatic soprano, who is the principal soloist at

the sacngerfest has consented to sing at the Wednesday afternoon concert. She will give the prayer and aria from "Der Freischutz" and "O Abscheulisher" from "Fidelio."

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or States Attorney. Isaac R. Mills or Circuit Clerk. David L. Foster or Coroner Jesse E. Bendure or Surveyor. George V. Loring There are not as many favorite sons as

no has been added to the public debt.

They say Platt is a good tenor singer. He ought to work more at it, as it is quite possible Mark Hanna is not much

New York for vice president and in California the Republicans are whooping up his brother, Ulysses S. Grant.

Senator-Elect Foraker, Chauncey M. Depew. Senator Lodge and J. N. Baldwin will make the nominating speeches for McKinley, Morton Reed and Allison re-

they are giving that matter but little consideration at this time.

e tariti bill during this campa

There was never a time in the history of the country when there was so great an ous effects of a cheap currency.

Four years ago the Democrats were circulating Henry George's single tax and

Kentucky is the only state that bas gone Democratic at every presidential campaign since 1864, inclusive. The confederate states of course did not vote in 1864. Iowa, Maine, Massachusetts, Minnesota. New Hampshire, Pennsylvania, these years. The electoral college of Cal-Ohio. In 1892 Illinois and Wisconsin went Democratic. Outside of these breaks the last named five states went Republican every presidential year since 1864.

national platform. It is as follows: be inferior to the money of the most en-lightened nations of the earth. We are unalterably opposed to every scheme that threatens to debase or depreciate our currency. We favor the use of silver as currency, but to the extent only and under such regulations that its parity with gold can be maintained, and in consequen are opposed to the free and unlimited and

This Indiana resolution is said to have been written by Mr. Enirbanks after consultation with McKinley, and in support of this it has been noticed that since the Indiana convention General Grosvenor has called from McKinley's speechos some sentences that show that almost the exact lanugage found in those speech es was produced in the Indiana resolu-

A good story was told by an Ohio man at the Illinois Republican state convention to some friends. It was before the

### Indiana convention and the friends being McKinley men were anxious to know LATEST FROM CUBA

what the Ohioan thought of McKinley's chances in Indiana. "Well," said the Ohio man, "it is like this, Indiana will Maceo Strongly Fortified in the Mountains go for McKinley. When Harrison was a candidate in 1888 Indiana sent to Mark

WITH AN ARMY OF TWENTY THOUSAND.

Prefer the Dangers of the Field to Spanish Brutality at Their Homes-Lee at Work.

Maceo Strongly Fortified in the Moun-

KEY WEST, Fla., June 8.-It has applied for the place. He was a resident 000 men, and they are strongly fortified in the mountains of Pinar del Rio, the Spaniards having utterly failed to drive them from their strongholds.

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—Ex-Gov. Josiah W. Begale died at Maceo has eight conventions of Pinar del Rio, the Pinar del Rio, th Harrison wrote a very formal letter in reply about considering the application Maceo has eight cannon, two of which Flint, Mich. He served a term in conand all that sort of rot and finally apwere captured from the "trocha" on gress and was elected governor on the piointed a man from Chicago who was not a physician but a veterinarian to the his recent attack when it was reported place. Mark Hanna has not forgotten that he was repulsed.

The report that Maceo has four companies of women soldiers has been Lord Rosebery's present tour abroad 25 confirmed. The Cuban women have is a prelude to his resigning the lead- 25 such a dread of Spanish brutality that many of them prefer fighting on the battlefield beside their husbands and brothers to being thrown into forts at A good but hitherto unpublished item the Spaniards' mercy.

In Maceo's recent attack on the trocha these Amazons took part and of ill health. fought fiercely, using machetes on the Spaniards. The attack was made north of San Marcos, and Gen. Bermudez crossed into Havana province with 1,500 men.

Gen. Lee Making His Presence Felt in Cubs.

indorsing Harrison's administration as HAVANA, June 8,--Consul-General president. This was accepted without Fitzhugh Lee yesterday visited the opposition, and was inserted in the platform. But the Harrison men concluded men who were captured on the filibustering American schooner Competitor, to get up some enthusiasm for the exand who are now confined in the Capresident anyhow. They procured a splenbanas fortress under sentence of did full-lengts portrait for their favorite Gen. Lee found the prisoners lodged in unhealthy quarters and will request Capt.-Gen. Weyler to order and had it would up on a roller above the stage, with a mechanical appendage THOMAS N. LEAVITT to lower it to full view before the applicate that they be given better accommodations.

II. N. SCHUYLER of the Harrison indorsement had died The consul general also saw Julio away. At the proper time—while the

is under sentence of life imprisonment for conspiracy, and whose case on appeal is now before the court of eassation in Madrid.

favor, requested Capt.-Gen. Weyler to now. not descend when called upon to do so. The convention adjourned without the pictorial display that had been expected, granted and it is expected that Dawrelease Mr. Dawley, the correspondent ley will be released from Morro castle to-day. and those who were in the secret shook their heads and said it was a bad omen

THE VOTE IN OREGON.

Results Not Yet Definitely Ascertained Owing to Slowness in Making Returns.

PORTLAND, Ore., June 8 .- The result of last Monday's state election yet remains in doubt. All returns are not buried his wife recently at Youngsin, and it may require a recount to detown, O., and the other day, in searchtermine the congressional result in the two districts of this state. In the first district all the returns have been hid in a trunk bank bills and gold made, excepting from two precincts duct. amounting to \$10,000, which his wife in Coos county. Tongue (rep.) has had hoarded away to keep herself and 19,328 votes; Vanderburg (pop.), 19,384; Myers (dem.), 7,820; Christensen (midings is reticent regarding the matter dle of the road populist), 1,156. The and declined to affirm or deny the short of an official canvass will decide

> In the second district Northrup (Ind. sound money candidate) is so far behind that he counts for nothing in the contest. The fight lies between Ellis (free silver rep.) and Quinn, (pop.). In this district, with returns incomplete, Ellis comes in with 15,125 votes and Quinn closely follows with 14,824. The populists feel confident that the official canvass will seat their man. Should a different showing be made, they will demand a recount of the entire district on the alleged ground of

With respect to the supreme judgeship, it is surprising that no reliable figures can be obtained, but the election of Bean (rep.) is conceded by a handsome plurality.

The real complexion of the legislature also remains in doubt, but from returns so far received it stands 55 republicans, five Mitchell republicans; 16 populists; six democrats, and three union bimetallists.

ELYRIA, O., June 8.-Mr. Henry Chappell, of this place, was burned to death Saturday night in an effort to save some live stock from a burning barn, which had been fired by tramps. Mr. Chappell's family had been alarmed by the blaze about 11 o'clock, and he and his son-in-law, William Hobbill, went to the barn to save the stock. Two tramps who were leaving the scene fired on Hobbill, wounding him in the hip. Mr. Chappell rushed into the barn to loosen some cattle was overcome by smoke and burned to a crisp. He has a brother, George Chappell in Cleveland.

Anarchists at Work in Spain

MADRID, June 8 .- Two dynamite cartridges exploded yesterday out-side of a house occupied by a priest at Orendain, near St. Sebastian, province of Guipuzcoa. The house and other buildings in the vicinity were badly lamaged, but nobody was hurt

Jules Simon Receives Extreme Unction. PARIS, June 8.-M. Jules Simon, the celebrated statesman, formerly prime minister of France, who is suffering comatose condition. Last night the

ministered to him. Massacred by the Kurds. ATHENS, June 8 .- It is reported here that Kurds have massacred several French, British and German engineers who were employed on the railroad

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-Fire damaged the Booth block, the finest and largest block in New Britаіп. Сопп., \$80,000.

-The house by a vote of 40 to 169, sustained the president's veto of the deficiency appropriation bill.

-On Saturday the banks of New York city held \$18,486,300 in excess of the requirements of the 25-per-cent.

-Paul Greene, of Birmingham, Ala. shot and instantly killed John Walker, colored, a family servant, mistaking him for a burglar. -The North German Lloyd Steam-

ship Co, will start a direct service between Bremen and Galveston with the steamer Halle, September 20.

-The Birmingham Post asserts that

ership of the liberal party, owing to 50 ill-health. -Win. Hoff, of Dayton, O., well known and wealthy, father of 11 chil-dren, bank director and thirty-second degree mason, shot himself on account

-Representative S. S. Turner, of the seventh district of Virginia, in an open letter, declines renomination. He prefers retirement to renomination on a silver platform.

-The returns issued by the London

Niagara Falls Hydraulic Power and Manufacturing Co. is natrue. -Fire at Eric, Pa., caused the Anchor Line and Western Transporta-

tion Co. \$50,000 loss. A rain-storm came to the firemen's assistance, or Sanguilly, an American citizen, who the loss would have been greater. -It is believed that the board of visitors of the naval academy at Annapolis, Md., will recommend the age

of admission be changed from 15 to It is said that Gen. Lee, as a special 18 years, instead of from 15 to 20, as -The Eclaire learns that in the dis-

to the populace, 3,873 persons were killed and 4,000 injured. -Samuel T. Newman, who shot and killed his wife's paramour, Charles Hoover, near Holton, Kan., last October, has been convicted of manslaugh-

ter in the second degree. At a previous trial the jury failed to agree. -The executive committee of the Milwaukee street railway strikers, in view of the outrages by firing on cars, have issued ad address deploring such outrages, asking all strike sympathiz-

ers to refrain from any unlawful con--The naval conferees have decided on three battleships. The limitation as to the price of the armor has been republican and populist candidates ate, to \$425 a ton. This concludes are running so closely that nothing every item over which there was any raised from \$350, as fixed by the sen-

-William Ordway Partridge, the sculptor, has attached the equestrain statute of Gen. Grant, recently erected in front of the Union League club, Brooklyn, to satisfy a claim of \$6.085 against the city and the club, for ma terial and labor.

-While Cyrus Moser and Alex Kidd were at work on top of a 30-foot scalfold at Lipps & Sutton's silk mill, at Bethlehem, Pa., the scaffold collapsed and the men were precipitated to the cellan below. Moser was instantly killed, his neck being broken. most every bone in Kidd's body was broken.

-The Yale crew, which will try for honors in the historic Grand Challenge cup at the Honley regatta, are en route for England on board the American line steamship Berlin. They were given a rousing send-off by thousands of their friends, who gathered on the dock at New York to wish them bon voyage.

-The weekly statement of the New Burned to Death While Trying to Rescue York city associated banks, issued on Saturday, showed the following Reserve, decrease, \$3.774, changes: 375; loans, increase, \$1,822,700; specie, decrease, \$647.500; legal tenders, de crease, \$3,520,400; deposits, decrease, \$1,694,100; circulation, increase, \$120,

THE WALLING MURDER TRIAL

ich Stronger Case Against the

CINCINNATI, June 8 .- The closing of the prosecution in the trial of Alonzo Walling for the murder of Pearl Bryan shows, apparently, a much better case against the defendant than against Scott Jackson. Evidence has been introduced showing Walling's guilty knowledge and tending to prove a conspirecy. He has been positively identified as the man who was with Pearl Bryan both Thursday and Friday-the fatal day. Sheriff Plummer, of Newport, took

the witness stand Saturday afternoon. He said Walling told him that he knew Scott Jackson intended to kill the girl, and tried to coax him not to do so. Walling furthers stated that he did from neurosis of the stomach, is in a not warn her because of his friendship for Scott Jackson.

last sacrament of the church was ad-New Substation Offices to be Established WASHINGTON, June 8 .- Postmaster-General Wilson has issued an order establishing, on July 1 next, two substations of the post office at Kansas City, Mo., and a new station at St. Joseph, Mo., for the transaction of general mail matter.

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in imports of £1,400,000, and an interease in exports of £470,000, as compared with May, 1895.

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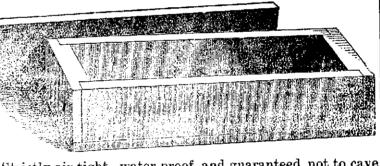
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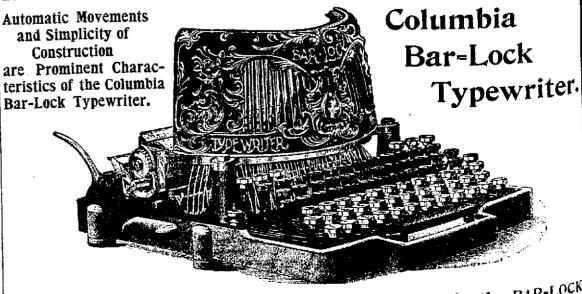
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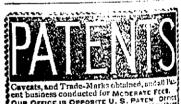


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The floating lodging-house which was

started recently in New York is not a

success. At first it threatened to be

quite popular among the hobos, at 4 the

185 beds were filled every night and hua-

dreds were turned away. Little by lit-

tle the number decreased, and now the

the accommodations. It is feared the

rigid discipline and the hygicale regula-

tions were too much for the wands ters

Tuneful seems the fit adjective to describe the perambulator just made

for the infant heir of one of the native

play, as the wheels go round, all kinds

nanner will it be initiated into patriot-

Cheap Labor in China-

There are large districts in China here labor is so cheap that it can

ardly be reckoned on a money stand-

we on a little more than a handful of rice

er so a day, and yet even then there are

housands of unemployed practically

Thousands of Chinese laborers

That Lump in a man's stomach

which makes him ir-

ritable and miscra-ble and unfit for bus-

iness or pleasure is caused by indiges-

tion. Indigestion, like charity, covers a multitude of sins. The trouble may be in stomach, liver, bowels. Wherever it is, it is caused by the

presence of poison-ous, refuse matter which Nature bas

been unable to rid herself of, unaided.

In such cases, wise people send down a little health officer,

personified by one of Dr. Pierce's Pleas-

ant Pellets, to search out the seat of trouble and remove

tion permanently. It will cure constipa-

Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets-it's an

That's why you had better not take

Whenever they are tried, they are al-

The greatest conqueror of ancient times

Indigestion,

sm from its perambulator days.

s Played by a Baby Carriage

amount of treesure he had found.

for the Harrison boom.

MONDAY, JUNE 8, 1896. EPUBLICAN STATE TICKET.

asurer. Henry L. Hortz orney General. E. C. Aiken orney General. E. C. Aiken iversity Trustees—F. M. McKay, Chingo, T. J. Smith, Champaign; Mrs. lary Turner Carriel, Jacksonville. Clerks.

that piece of ingratitude, and, gentlemen, rk of the Northern Grand Division, you can bet your lives Indiana will be for McKinley when the state convention meets." And Indiana was for McKin-Appellate Court. C. C. Duffy of the Indiana convention which elected W. C. Hibbard delegates to St. Louis and instructed for McKinley in spite of the Harrison pressure is as follows: When Harrison's

Delegates at Large. chard J. Oglesby... Elknard seon W. Fifer... Bloomington sepn W. Fifer. Blo W. Patterson..... Alternates.

CONGRESSIONAL TICKET.

COUNTY TICKET.

ne might have supposed judged by the oise they made. During the Democratic rule since Develond was last inaugurated \$262,000,-

of a success in music. There is talk of Col. Fred Grant, in

spectively. While a good deal is being said about the McKinley managers looking for a vice-presidential candidate the chances are

The fact that W. L. Wilson, the author of the Democratic tariff law has not been applicants nightly are about 50 short of mentioned for president indicates how anxious that party is that nothing shall be done to call attention to the Democrat-

Indian princes. The perambulator will opportunity for patriotic Deemcrats to serve their country than there is this year of airs-lullables when the infant when they may vote the Republican tickwishes to go to sleep, and murtial strains when it is in a wakeful mood. In this et to protect the country from the ruin-

free trade book as campaign literature. This year they have abandoned that text book and are relying upon free silver literature. Four years ago these doctors promised a free trade tariff would bring prosperity and now they have abandoned that specific and are promising that free silver will be a panacea for all ills. Such doctors cannot be trusted except by people who love to be feeled.

Rhode Island and Vermont are the only states that went Ropblican in each of ifornia was divided in 1880 and in 1892. Michigan was divided in 1892 and so was

It is said that the McKinley people favor the Indiana money plank for the

the cause. One lit-tle "Pellet" will remove a very big lump and act as a gentle laxative. Two "Pel-'We believe that our money should not and act us a gentle laxative. Two "Pellets" are a mild catharin. A short "course" of "Pellets" will cure indiges tion permanently. It will cure constipa-tion. After that, you can stop taking them. A good many pills act so vio-lently as to derange the system, and in its disordered state, digestion will not go on without a continued use of the pills. That's the worst feature of most pills. Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets never make slaves of their users. independent coinage of silver at a ratio of

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Estate of Calvin F, Hoft, Deceased.

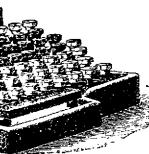
The undersigned having been appented administrator of the estate of Calvin F, Hoff, late of the county of Macon and state of Illinois, it cased, hereby gives notice that he will appear before the county court of Macon county, at the court house in Decatur, at the August term, of the first Monday in August next, at which time all persons having claims against said estate are notified and requested to attend for the purpose of having the same adjusted. All persons ingletic to said estate are requested to make immediate payment to the undersigned.

Dated this 2d day of June, 1899.

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The regular June meeting of the Macon omorrow afternoon at the court house.

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nents, on sale at the C. B. Prescott mu

ic house on North Water street. Brand temorrow night. No doubt the hall will be crowded to the doors. A

large number of tickets have been sold. In the circuit court Mrs. Anna Shaffer cruelty and threats of personal violence. The attorneys for the

#### USE WHITE LOAF FLOUR.

Tonight the arbitration committee apointed to adjust the trouble in the Chrisian church will hold its first meeting. The question to be decided is which is the riding power in a Christian church the rading power in a Christian church—
the congregation or the official board.
This is the point that Paster Hall has bases—Decatur 8. Sullivan 5. Umpire,

Lincoln or Riverton. Buy it of M. F. Cann 628 North Main or with Harry workers, Metz at King & Metz' drug store. Hard

Nov. 11dtf A son of Roy Loughborn was seriously njured Sanday affternoon near the family home on North Edward street while on a bicycle. In an effort to get out of the way of a street car he collided with mother wheel and when he got up he found that he had received a bad cut in the face near the nose which required surgical attention.

The police are still looking for Harry Decker who is said to be wanted at Peoria for forgery. If this is the state of affairs t is not surprising that Decker did not show up in the city Saturday morning ifter his arrival from Chicago. He prob ably secured a tip and got out on the first train that would carry him into another state. Decker seems to be up to his old

Sarah Bernhardt has returned to Paris and has taken an early occasion to pay a graceful tribute to the women of the United States, which conveys by indirection a similar compliment to the men. She says: "The one who makes law in America, gives tone, and invents fashion, is woman, and the American woman is age and tenderness and protection, and it A. Sine, Matthew Kirkwood, Will Eichinhas observed so clearly the obvious and necessary result. The rise of the ideal new woman, her developement along wholesome lines, her legitimate aspirations, have been built on the firm foundation of the enduring reverence of her father, husband, and brother, and have been encouraged and supported by their strong, protecting arms. It is the typical American picture, clear-cut, to Mme. Bernhardt, or any other chance visitor,

BASE BALL AT THE PARK. Sullivan Visitors Beaten 15 to 8 by Mana

cation park yesterday afternoon to witness the game between Manager Stock ey's club and the Sullivan boys. Land lord McNally would not let the Decker uniforms go out of the hotel, so our boy had to show up in all kinds of suits "The Economy," They looked nice. Put one in mind of a lot of anarchists recently pardoned by Governr Altgeld, but all the same they put up a good stiff article of ball-a game that pleased the cranks to perfection. The principal features of the game was the batting of Conley, a phenomenal pickup by Donohue, Sentel's playing at first for the Sullivans, and the wild pitching of Price, he hitting seven men with the none of the inferior ball. He was as wild as a Kansas jack rabbit. All in all it was a good game larger, but the electric railway had a break-down just at the time the crowd wanted to go, and on that account many

> score in the first, Conley and White bescoring one on hits by Mecker and "Fatbleacherites to hit out a homer. Price braced himself, feinted to first, then let her go. Phonse biffed at it and caught it over the spasm Phonse was roosted on the third bag, and three runs had ambled bagger in the third inning, and brought in two more runs. The home team had smooth sailing from that on, adding five in the fourth inning, three in the seventh and one in the ninth.

Sallivan's runs came hard, and up to the ninth inning they had but six scatter ing hits off Flynn. In that inning, Chance, Price and McPheeters cach made hits and added three to their total of five up to that time. Below is the score: DECATUR.

Stolen bases-Decatur 4. Struck out-By Flynn 5, by Price 5. Bases on balls— Off Flynn 4, off Price 6. Hit by pitcher— White, Donohue, Conley, Bates 2, Adams, Mesmer, Price, Sentel. Passed halls and fifty-five minutes.

There were three games at the ball park Metz. Personally he can be found at the Saturday afternoon, Printers vs. Cigar cago. The ordinance of haptism we yard office, 800 North Broadway. For Makers, 6 to 5 for the smokers, three innings; Mills Lumber Co. vs. Mueller Phone 435. Also leave orders with T. W. brass workers, 29 to 4, for the lumber

At the Wabash round house grounds: coal all sizes, always in stock at market Decatur Lumber Co. 16, Car Shops 15. George Brant's club 10, Winegardner's 9.

Commencement Day Ushers.

The following ushers have been selectnencoment exercises on Friday next:

First Floor-Herbert Whiting, Ira Clo- | prettily decorated for the occasion. key. Emma Muthersbaugh, Blanche Al-Voodford and Josephine Waggoner.

Balcony-Florence Donahue, Guy Lips-Mame Greene, Lucille Bonbrake, Clarence Eberly, Walter Shade, Ina Kincaid, Ida Dearborn, Fred Neidermeyer, Elmer Tennedy, Bessie Sanner and Bessie Lutz.

Nine Applicants.

The civil service examination for appli held at the High school building Saturday morning. The examination was con- looked upon favorably by the church. ducted by W. E. Strohm and W. L. Hancock. These who took the examination intelligent, educated, and refined beyond did good work, but the result will not be anything imaginable." It has always known for three weeks. The following which time an excellent musical program been the delight and pride of the true is a list of those who went through with American to exait womanhood with hom- the examination: L. P. Hughey, Charles not surprising that Mme. Bernhardt ger, Bruce Ferguson, Arthur D. Smith, James W. Sutton, Arthur L. Somers.

Help for St, Louis.

A grand benefit concert for the St. Louis evelone sufferers will be given at the Powers Grand opera house on Tuesday evening, June 9 by the Nellis Lyric soci ety, assisted by the opera house orchestra. the Arion Male Quartet, Prof. Otto Sol dan and other leading musicians of Deca tur. Scats, 50, 35 and 25 cents. Tickets on sale at the opera house drug store. -- 5-40

equals." The spirit of that jest is the meeting night of the post. The post comblur on the picture. In the race for mander, Captain I. N. Martin, requests equality there seems to be danger that full attendane of the comrades. This is pit of the Christian church Sunday morn women are slighting their accredited the first visit of the department commaning and evening. der to any post since his election.

Rev. D. F. Howe Delivers the Baccalaureate Sermon

TO HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATING CLASS

The Services are Largely Attended by the Students-Confirmation by Bishop Seymour at St. John's Episcopal Church Sunday Evening-Church Notes.

The game started off splendidly, with the graduating class, "En Avant," meanthe young people what the word forward been retired Denver Hays got first on an should mean to them. It ought to mean error. Flynn made a hit, and Adams first forward in the acquisition of knowlto the plate with his rag-picker's uniform been before. The field of knowledge was on. Sullivan's pitcher thought he hadn't | vast. There were the colleges open to enough ambition to pick up a four-bit them and much could be learned outside. piece, but Phonse had a cue from the Books could now be bought cheap and young people of this age could acquire knowledge. There was always room in square in the face. When the crowd got the brain for more than it contained and everyone should put all the knowledge possible into their brain. True education was the development of a person's power. developed by exercise and the brain must be developed in the same way. He urged the young people not to be mere dreamer but to be practical. They should zet great ideas but they should bring then down to every day life. They should be forward also in moral development and should have the courage of their convictions and the moral strength to hold them up. Each should develop in himself a true moral character. All this was only a preparation for a higher life. The speaker said that he did not know whether there would be any of the class who would be

Notwithstanding the intense heat there were large congregations both morning and evening at the First Baptist church yesterday. The subject of the evening discourse was "Rejoiding." The pasto sons from the story of Paul's imprison ment. Paul rejoiced even when in prison his trial for his life. If Paul could rejoic under such- eireumstaness men should al ways rejoice and be happy and thankful, for men always have something to be thankful for. Then men should always be rejoicing because of the influence for good that always comes from a happy and cheerful disposition. A special musical program was rendered in the evening by the choir assisted by Mr. Davis of Chi-

The Rt. Rev. George F. Seymour, bishop of this diocese, was in the city Sunday and conducted services at St. John's Epis copal church. He preached in the morn ing to a large congregation and in the evening held confirmation services. Those confirmed were Miss Mae Harwood, Mrs. Stella May Hughes, May Alice Williams ed to do duty on the occasion of the com- and John Munson. Special music was rendered by the choir and the church was

Sunday afternoon the bishop gave a exander, Lillian King, Myrtle Flint, Ab- lecture to the ladies of the missionary soner Brintlinger, Wayne Williams, Estelle ciety. He spoke in regard to Grace Mis-Williams, Madge Fenton, Frank Collins, sion, which is situated in the east part of Ralph Cruzan, Sylvester Wilhelmy, Fred the city. The mission is a branch of the Platt. Mary Sterret. Clara Phillips, Edna | church but has been closed for some time past. The bishop made a proposition to the ladies. Rev. Townsend, a minister comb, Mario Steinbach, Josephine Bold, of New York City, is interested in the mission. It was his first charge after be entered the ministry and for that reason he wants to do something to assist in its Brintlinger, Russell Packard, Bertrand support. He offers to give \$500 a year to help pay the salary of a minister. The bishop agrees to put a minister in charge of the chapel if the ladies of the missionary society will accept the offer. No officants for positions in the posteffice was cial action has yet been taken but it is quite probable that the offer will be Church Notes

> A song service was held at the First Presbyterian church Sunday evening at was rendered. The subject of the sermon delivered by

Rev. R. G. Hobbs at Grace' Methodist church Sunday evening was "A League With Hell, Will It Stand?" The discourse was a discussion of the probibition question and was the third of a series of sermons on the subject which Mr. Hobbs has been preaching. The committee who are to arbitrate the

trouble between the two Christian churches is expected in the city today. They will probably have the matter settled this Sunday evening Children's Day exer-

vices at the First Methodist church. Rev. J. H. Henshaw occupied the pul

Elder J. H. Hardin, president of the Wells will give an address on Europe.

Eureka college, preached at the Christian Tabernacle Sunday in the absence of the astor, Rev. George F. Hall.

Rev.W. H. Penhallegon preached at the Westminster chapel Sunday afternoon and Rev. Clokey at the College street chapel. Rev. J. C. Rapp, of the German Metholist church, is in Mt. Pleasant, Iowa, attending a meeting of the diretors of the Vestern University.

Pleasing Remembrance Incident Saturday Last at the Office of the C. B. & Q. Works.

Hop, W. B. Chambers, member of the

Chambers, Bering & Quinlan manutac-

turing company, who is soon to remove

#### GIVEN A FINE CANE.

with his family to his newly acquired The Baccalaureate sermon to the mum bers of the graduating class of 1896 of the state of Missourt, was given a very pleas-Decatur High school was preached Sun-ing surprise Saturday afternoon as day evening at the First Methodist church | sat in his office at the works attending to by Rev. D. F. Howe. There was pres- business. In all the years that Mr. Chamand the crowd would probably have been ent a large congregation which included bers has been connected with the works many of the High school students. Seats and he was one of the organizers of the were reserved in the front part of the enterprise, he has been uniformly kind services opened with singing by the chor- with the institution, and all regret that the home team at bat, but they failed to followed by a prayer by Rev. W. C. Mil-ting therefore that members of the office ing left on bases. Sullivan did better, Howe took for his subject the motte of present Mr. Chambers a memente or evity" McPheeters. In the second the fun ing forward. He said that he would tell kindly wishes for the future. The gift was a very handsome gold-headed chony cane, the finest that could be obtained in the city, which was presented by John was given a base on balls-filling the edge. The class was now in position to W. Phillips, Jacob Phillips and J. M. bases. Then Phouse Conley wabbled up thirst for knowledge as they never had Hughes, traveling representatives for the ing to Mr. Chambers their best wishes for the future in his new home in the west Mr. Chambers received the gift with re marks of appreciation and a display feeling which demonstrated to those pres ent that he was deeply affected by the The muscles of the body could only be kindly remembrance. The gold ornamontation is inscribed "W. B. Chambers from the Boys.'

FOR LADIES' BICYCLES. Skirt Protecting Screen Invented by a West Virginian. The illustration represents a folding reen attached to the front end of a lady's bicycle, there being a screen at each side of the head, adapted to be folded up against it or unfolded and extended past the pedals, to protect the feet and ankles from view when mount ing or riding, and to prevent the skirts from being blown about the limbs. The improvement has been patented by a Buckhannon (W. Vs.) man. The foldgreat persons but if they acquired knowling, fan-like screens are secured by suitable clips or brackets to each side ter they would always be respected and screen is composed being covered by any suitable fabric and pivoted gether at their lower curved ends, while on the school from which they graduated. The services closed with the singing of extending down upon the forward arm of each screen there may be, if pre-ferred, a light leather casing into



which the screen may be folded and held in compactly folded position by cords or straps. The curvature of the arms causes the screen to extend outwardly a sufficient distance to avoid the pedals and not interfere with their operation by the feet of the rider. The invention also provides for a front screen, not shown, slotted to straddle the front wheel, and close the space and prevent draught between the side screens.-Scientific American.

#### FRESH CYCLING NOTES.

In France, bleycles are taxed at the ate of about \$2.25 each year; the tax yields about \$400,000 per annum.

"Pedaleurs" and "nedaleuses" are the

terms which the Parisians now employ to designate cyclists of the two seves. A paper published in Paris devoted to builders invites architects to discuss the accommodation of bicycles in pri-

Strange to say, the wheel now forms no inconsiderable portion of the miscellaneous supplies forwarded to the

An Englishman named Jefferson has started on a 6,000 mile bicycle ride to Irkutsk, in Siberia. His machine and haggage weigh 60 pounds. The Naples authorities have just im-

posed a tax upon wheels used for pleasare or sport. This tax is ten france If the machines are used partly for business purposes, they are only taxed five france. A few of the New York postmen have tried the experiment of using wheels in

making their rounds, but the roads have proved so poor that it is feared they will have to abandon the use of the wheel. The only cycles which are exempt from taxation in France are the wheels n the hands of dealers which have not seen sold and those owned by various

government officers for the use of their nessengers. It would really seem as though the horse was discredited even in the far west, for a short time ago Little Black Bear, a Nez Perce Indian chief of Ore gon, traded 30 head of horses for a bi

The members of the Brian Missionary ociety will hold their monthly meeting next Thursday afternoon. Mrs. W. T.

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bauch and other monarchs are some contrast. The record of which Mr. Henry W. Fischer, h furnished, reveals William's S devotion to the common duti day life. A band of imperial perplexed musicans, had aside as it were, and in a twinklin dispatched in the bind new me on its journey. Later in the

architects and builders who struggling with plansfer a chi rusulem, approached and told bles to the throne. Here again peror was again meter of the and not only fixed the church, a wing and signed a deepe that ture must be finished in a year, astonished commission could breath. These ar narely det dents in a day of speciar toll the relaxation that followed is ing. The mind intent on the t sian feasts and the Wales-Asto naturally conjures up a simila the Kainer. What was the invites the Berlin garrison Ausstellung, he paying for

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Light spring novelties, worth 50 and 65c for 37½ yard.

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light blu-, cream, Nile green and lavender, worth 60c for 37½c yard.

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Lot 1-19 drz m men's fine Balbriggan shirts and drawers, both flat and rib NOT CHEAP GOODS but the very best makes that we have been celling for 50 and 65c at 25c each.

for 50 and 65c at 25c each.

Lot 2-30 dr zen boy's and children's shirt and blouse waists, all good values and worth 50 and 65c at 17c each.

Lot 3-Men's high grade imported balbriggen shirts and drawers in colors.

These goods are worth \$100 each. Price for this sale 50c.

Lot 4-50 dozan men's work shirts, 36 inches long, coller put on with band.

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Lot 5-3 cs. es men's beavy seamless socks, extra good and worth 12½c pair, for 4c pair.

for 4c pair.

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300 Ludies Misses and Children's trinmed and untrimmed hats at one-half price

#### Clearing Sale in Silks.

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### Clearing Sale in Dress Trimmings.

Spangle dress trimmings, formerly sold for 35 40 and 59c, at 15c. Spangle dress trimmings formerly sold for 15, 0 and 25c, at 5c.

#### Clearing Sale Ladies' 1 rimmed Hats.

47 trimmed hats, formerly sold for \$2.00 and 2.50, at 98c 22 trimmed hats, formerly sold for \$3.00 and 3.50, at \$1.49. 87 trimmed hats, formerly sold for \$3.50 and \$4.00, at \$2.50. Bicycle hats, trimmed, worth \$1.00. at 35c. Children's legborn hats, trimmed, 25c. Children's wash hats, 10c.

Ludics' untrimmed straw hats, 5c.



#### Laces and Embroideries.

175 pieces Swiss and Hamburg embroidery at 9c yd.
7 piece all over Batiste, worth \$2.00, at 98c.
Batiste Point at 19c.
Batiste Point at 19c.
Black Silk Honiton Lace and Insertion at reduced prices.
82 pieces Silk Lace, cream, in 3 widths, sorne worth 98c, at 25c yd.
45 pieces Silk Lace, cream, some as wide as 14 inches, worth \$1.25, at 49c yd.
25 pieces Black Silk Lace, 8, 9 and 12 inches wide, some worth \$1.00, at 25c yd.
9 pieces all over jetted act, fine quality, some worth \$6.00 yd., clearing sale price,
49. \$2.49. All over Chiffon, with dots and spangles, worth \$1.50 at 98c yd.

#### Gioves and Mitts.

12 dozen Ladies' Gauntlet Oycling or driving gloves, worth \$1 00, clearing sale price 49. paid. 10 dozen Ladica' Berlin Gauntlet gloves, black, tan and navy, worth 25c, clearing eale crice, 19c pair.
15 dozen Ladies' colored silk mitts, navy, red, pink, light blue, lavender. lemon, worth
35c, clearing sale price, 19c pair.

#### Hosiery.

35 dozen boys fast black Bicycle hose, sizes 6 to 914, worth 25c, clearing sale price, 12%c pair.
60 dozen Ladies' seamless fast black hose, worth 15c pair, clearing sale price, 9c pair.
85 dozen Ladies imported fast black hose, "Cupid," worth 35c. clearing sale price
21c pair.

#### Underwear.

39 dozen Ladies' White Ribbed Vests, short electes and tape neck, worth 20c, clearing sale price, 12½c, 45 dozen Ladies' long eleeves, ribbed vests, worth 25c, clearing sale price, 15c.

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51 Ladies' Corects, slightly soiled, odd sizes, worth up to \$3 00, clearing sale price, 49c.

#### Umbrellas.

75 Ladies' English Gloria Umbrellas, worth 90c, clearing sale price 59c, 45 Twilled Gloria Silk Umbrellas, good style handles, worth \$1.50, clearing sale price, 89c.

156 Ladies' Parasols in Dresden, Printed, Persian, Linen and India, 21 25 to \$6.50

100 dozen Ladles' White Handkil chiefa, worth 5c, clearing price sale price. 2 for 5c, We have a beautiful line of later handkerchiefs for graduates, worth from 1\$2.50

#### Wash Dress Goods.

20 preces printed ducks, piques etc., all the new styles, worth loc, at 81/10 yd. 33-inch fine Percales, warranted fast colors, worth 121/20, at 81/10 ye.

#### One lot fine Dimities Organdies, Batister, etc., latest priotings and colorings, the 15 and 20c kind, choice of the lot, 10 rd. 20 pieces bicycle suitings to mixed and stripes, all colors, worth 20c, your choice

20 pieces bleyde suffings in intension and strikes, in the control of the year of the year

to 20c, choice 11c rd. F0.inch White Welts for skirts, new styles, all at 12} c rd.

#### Housekeeping Staples.

One case fine 9-4 brown sheeting, worth 15c at 12 to yd.
One case fine 9-4 bleached sheeting, the 22 to kind, at 17 to.
2 pieces 45 tuch bleached pillow case cotton, extra fine, worth 15c yd., at 8 to yd.
120 dozen fine Damast Napkins, several odd lots, including % and %, worth up to 62 inch fine setin damask, beautiful patterns, extra fine and a bargain, worth 890

all at 50c yd.

One fine bale brown roller toweling at 3%c yd.

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10 pieces checked glass to seling, assorted checks at four and seven-ninths a yd.

#### Clearing Sale Children's Kilt Suits, 2, 3 and 4 years.

One of the best lines shown this year. We have about 75 of these suits left which we have marked below cost.

Kill Suits w rth \$1 49 at \$1 15.

1 98 at 1 49. 2 25 at 1 75. 2 49 at 1 98. 3 00 at 2 25.

#### Clearing Sale Ladies' Misses' and Children's Jackets and Wraps.





27 extra fine silk and velvet capes, some worth \$12, at \$5.98.
100 Ludies' spring and fail Jackets, worth \$5, \$6 and \$7, at \$3.39.
75 Misses' spring and fail Jackets worth \$4 and \$5 for \$2.50.
100 Bicyc's Jackets at \$2.50.
125 Ludies' Capes—silk, velvet and cloth—some great values, at \$3.50.
One lot of sloth Change \$4.750.

One lot of cloth Capes at 75c. Special lot brown, blue and black, trimmed with black silk braid, worth \$2.50

Children': Reefers cheaper than you can buy them again. \$1.25 grade, 89r; \$1.50 grade, 98c; \$2.00 grade, \$1.25; \$2.50, \$1.50; \$3.00 grade, \$2.00; \$4.00 grade, \$2.75.

#### Clearing Sale Infant's Long Cloaks.

Ceshmere, White cu i Ten, worth \$150, for 98c.

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Wife Silk, " 600, " 450. Wilte Silk,



#### Ladies' Suits.

Manchester Linen Suits, tailor made, perfect fit, worth \$5, at \$3 98.

Fancy Dimity Suits, lace trimmed, with deep flounce on skirt, full skirt, worth \$5, at \$2.98. Storm Serge and Cheviot Suite, also Scotch Mix-tures, tailor made, some sold at \$15, clearing price, \$3.98 suit.

175 Ladies' Suits, in summer material, \$1.25, \$198, 75 Ladi s' Cloth and Cheviot Suits, \$198, \$5.98,

Bicycle Suite at Reduced Prices. Ladies' Wrappers and Tes Gowns.

Greet Reduction in this Department.

#### Clearing Sale Silk Waists

57 Silk Waiste, some sold as high as \$12 50, clearing price \$6 50.
100 Silk Waiste, in plain black and faccy silks, a great bargein, clearing price 37 odd lot farcy and plain silks, some worth \$6 00 at \$3 98.

#### Clearing Sale Wash Waists, Laundered.

Pislo linen Embroide, sed and lace trimmed, detached white linen collars, fixest waist made, some worth \$6, at \$2.98.

One Special Line 'excian effects, with detached collar, bishop sleeves, former by soid at \$2.25 at \$1.49

100 Shirt Wais A. 22 styles, down to \$1.25.

175 Shirt Wais A. 30 styles, down to 98c.

300 Shirt Wa Ata, 14 styles, down to 75c.

875 Shirt Waise, 5 styles, down to 35c.

#### Clearing Sale Muslin Underwear.

Ladi 49° corect covers at 9c. Lat. sies' corect covers, trimmed, at 15c. Ladies' chemise, long, formerly sold at \$1.25, at 85c.

#### Ladies' Muslin Gowns.

One special lot, formerly sold at 75c and 85c, at 65c. 18 dec. Empire gowns, formerly sold 98c, at 75c. 16 dec. Loie Fuller and Empire gowns, formerly rosh 81.25 and \$1.50, at 98c.

#### Shirt Waists==Unlaundered.

Plain white handsomely trimmed with embroidery, also linea effects trimmed Frain white handsomely trimmed with embroidery, also lines effects trimmed with lace. These soft lawn waists are by far the coolest garment a lady can wear. Some of the lot formerly soft for \$2.00, at 935.

82 unlaundered wasts, white and colored, some sold for \$1.50, at 755.

Plain white lawn with Jabo ruffle for its, also favoy stripped cambric, plain front. Some in this lot worth 50c, at 155.

#### Ties and Collars.

300) black eatin bows at 192. 182 ladies' collare at 3c. 225 ladies' collare at 5c. 225 ladies' collars at 50. 85 sets collar and cuffs in red, black and white sets at 250 set. I(0 English sets collar and cuffs in tan and pink, worth \$1, at 50c set. White collars, all pure lines, light weight, at 25c. White shirt waist fronts at 8c

#### Infant's Long Dresses.

Reduced to 35c, 49c, 75c, 98c and \$1-25. Children's shirt dresses 39c, 49c, 89c, 98c and \$1.25. Infant's short chirts 49c. Infant's long skirts 75c and 85c.

#### Ladies' Separate Skirts.

Fancy black figured dress skirts reduced to \$2.93, \$3.49, \$4.98 and \$6.50.

One special lot of figured silk skirts worth \$10, at \$7.75.

Ladies' durk, lines and crash seperate skirts.

Duck and for all wash goods at 980, others \$1.25, \$1.49, \$1.75 and \$1.98 skirt.

Children's wash dresses reduced to 352, 490, 700, 980, \$1.25 and \$1.49.

#### Ladies' Drawers.

One special lot of ladges' drawers in trimmed and untrimmed, worth 500 at 350 One lot reduced to 230.

#### Ladies' Skirts.

Lace trimmed skirts reduced to 98c. 32 dozen white skirts reduced to 35, 49, 75 and 89c.

#### Misses' Gowns.

10 and 12 years, worth 60 and 65c, at 45c. Misses' Drawers, 5, 6 and 7 years, at 19c. Children's Drawers.
Children's Guimps r duced to 25c.
Children's Wests, i and 5 years, 15c.

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1500 yards all wool extra super such as is sold elsewhere at 55c yard, our cut

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200 Fringe Carps Remnante, 1½ varde long, 75s your choice.
25 Matting Rugs, 3x6 sell for \$1.25, to close 75c.
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 $54\,$  inch ruffled Swiss, formerly 49, 59 and 69e yd. now 39, 49, f 9 :.

30 and 350 yd, now 25 and 30c. 30 " 40c, now 29c yard. 54 " Coin Spot " " 25c, now 15c yard. 36 " " " " 36 " Figured and striped Swiss, formerly 200 yard, now 11c yard.

50 " Figured Drapery Mull, formerly 50c, now 29: yard.

54 " Fish Net, formerly 25 to 60c, no s 19 to 45c. 40 " Stripe Scrim, formerly 121/2c, now 9c yard.

61, now 5c yard.

36 "Sateen Drapery" 25c, now 19c yard. " 30c, now 19e yard. 36 " Pongee "

40 Pieces best Silkoline, formerly 15c, now 11c yard.

" 25c, now 19: yard. 10 " Duck Drapery, 10 " Point d'Esprit, formerly 40c, now 29c yard.

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Chies silks in plain, figured and stripes. Jap, silks in plane, figured and stripes.

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10 pairs Jap. Crepe Portiers, were \$1.75, now 98c.

We have a great many odd paire, a'so quite a nur ber of three-of-a kino, in ace curtains that we will make an upusual cut on.

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We have some very high price pole triminings that are slightly tarn; shed that you can buy for 25c complete. Some of them sold for \$1.00 each.

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THE VIBRATORY HABIT.

New Bicycle Disease Diagnosed by &

Famous English Authority.
One of the ailments which doctors estlessness. In such cases the "vibraory habit" has been unconsciously acquired. Sir Benjamin Ward Richardson, in a paper on the subject, says that all bicyclists are not similarly affected, their natural nervous conditions having much to do with the develop-ment of the disease. Riders who were careful to pedal in moderation, and who did not let their minds run perpetually on bicycles, were free from any sympcoms of the disease. But among the enthusiasts he found the vibratory habt was rapidly developing. He declared that in it lay a menace to the future reasonable limit. The disease is a and of intoxication for movement that s shown in an unconscious or semiunconscious bearing of the body, which steadiness is called for, as, for instance, in sitting for a photograph. There is also manifested an overdesire for rapidity of motion, as if it were necession given is that the sufferer, from this are not opportune for riding. The

there is not the slightest occasion for always requiring the stimulation of xercise. If the devotee of the wheel thinks morning, noon and night of iding, and the exhibaration of movement, his heart beats faster. The rider is not aware of the influence his mind is exerting on this most important organ, which after awhile feels that its normal pulsations are those which take place when the mind is thus intoxicated with the thought of motion. Sir Benjanin says that this craving for movement is very much like the craving or have received the indorsement of many of the leading physicians in this coun-

STRAPS FOR STEERING.

relief to relax his grip on the handle burs if only for a few moments during a long ride. While many would find rest by so doing the grant and the second rest by so doing the grant and rest by so doing, they are not sufficiently expert to guide the bicycle by means of their bodies alone. The latest device



to aid new riders in so doing is a steerwith ease and the sharpest turns can be effected in the same manner as if in much the same fashion as a shoulder brace, a crosspiece resting on the shoulder blades. The length of the straps strap can be carried under the coat

when not in use. American Wheels in Germany. The Germans have just begun to appreciate the merits of the American at Frankfort has contributed a long report to the state department explainng how the American machine came to gain the supremacy over the English models, so extensively copied in Germany. He tells how the American makrs may introduce their machines to the tion as to the peculiarities of German taste that must be consulted to insure the success of any effort to induce the

Germans to use the American wheel,

One feature of bicycle riding this seain the position of the riders. Too many men and boys still arch themselves hideously over their handles, apparently in the absurd conviction that it gives hem a professional air. But there are fewer of these ambitious souls than formerly, and the women, as they a!ways have done, sit well and ride easi-

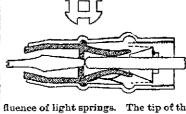
Making of Papter-Muche.

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BRACE FOR CARPENTERS. Forel Attempt to Secure Simplicity and

Lum Woodruff, a carpenter of long experience, residing in Fairview, Tex.. celleves that the various methods of olding a bit in a brace now in use are all open to objectious of one sort or another. He therefore proposes a new plan. His mechanism is all inclosed in eylinder, which has a channel running around its interior nearly half way beween the ends. This groove affords a scat for a projection on each of the four arms or jaws, so that they can rock. A turning a screw, causes these arms to separate from each other at one end, and approach at the other end, at which atter point they grasp the bit shank. When the cam is withdrawn, the arms rock in the opposite manner under in-



fluence of light springs. The tip of the bit shank rests in a square hole at the center of a stout diaphragm or parti-tion in the cylinder. Notches are made in the edge of this diaphragm to accommodate the jaws. Mr. Woodruff's claim for his scheme is that the bit is held firmly to an exact axial line by a simple and positive action.-N. Y. Tribune.

PAINTS FOR IRON WORK.

Results of Interesting Experiments Con-ducted by Prof. Spennrath. Prof. Spennrath has been collecting some useful facts as to modern experience in the painting of iron work. He concludes that none of the metallic oxides commonly used combine chemically with linseed oil. The drying process depends exclusively upon an absorption of oxygen by the oil, which is facilitated by the presence of the pigment in a mechanical way. The value of the different pigments used varies. Thus, zinc white, when used for outside work, rapidly swells to double its previous volume, owing to the absorption of carbonic acid gas and water. Sul-

phurcted hydrogen will cause red or white lead to act in a similar way. In Eggs, steady, 114@12. arious paints, sheets of zinc were equited with a number of different kinds. The zine was then dissolved by acid. leaving a film of paint. All these films, it was found, could be destroyed by the action of diluted nitrie or hydrochloric acids, the vapors of sulphuric and acetic acids acting similarly. Alkaline fluids and gases also destroyed the paints rapidly. Pure water was found to be more injurious than salt water: the de-

structive action of sea water is there-Spennrath was, however, the great influence of temperature. Films similar to those already mentioned conpletely lost their elasticity and became brittle when exposed to a temperature of 203 degrees Fahrenheit. There was at the same time much contraction. Similar effects were produced by prolonged exposure to much lower temper-atures. Blistering is found to result

from the inner coat of paint being so thick that it has not hardened thoroughly before the second coat is applied.

#### INTOXICATED WASPS.

Their Sting, According to a Scientist, I Virulent and Painful.

Concerning his observations of wasps which are addicted to the use of intoxi cating liquors, Lawson Tait relates the "I have been watching the wasps with

great interest and have noticed the ing strap. By using the strap it be- avidity with which they attack certain comes possible for novices to ride 'ruit when fully ripe, rotting in fact, and 'hands off" at the slowest gait. Obstacles in the road can be ridden over sults of their doing so. The sugar in some fruits which are most attacked by wasps has a tendency to pass into a the hands of the rider were gripping kind or kinds of alcohol in the ordinary the hands of the rider were gripping the bars. The strap is fitted to the form process of rotting, a fact whi is easily in much the same fashion as a shoulder ascertained by the use of a still not large enough to attract the attention of the excise authorities. On such fruits, is adjusted by means of buckles. The particularly grapes and certain plums, you will see wasps pushing and fighting in numbers much larger than can be accommodated, and you will see them get very drunk, crawl away in a semisomnolent condition, and repose in the grass for some time, till they get over bicycle, and United States Consul Mason the bout, and then they will go at it again. It is while they are thus affected hat they do their worst stinging, both in the virulent nature of the stroke and the utterly unprovoked assaults of which they are guilty. I was stung last year by a drunken wasp, and suffered severely from symptoms of nerve poison best advantage and gives much information several days. In such drunken peculiarities they resemble their human contemporaries."—Registered Pharma-

Self-Ignirion of Cotton Waste.

The self-ignition of cotton waste has ceently been made the subject of careson is that there is a vast improvement | ful experiment. A small amount of the common waste was saturated with linseed oil, wrung out and inclosed in a wooden box into which was fitted a thermometer. Shortly afterward the emperature in the box, which was ten degrees centigrade at the commencement of the experiment, rose to 173 degrees centigrade and the contents commenced to smoke. On opening the box the contents burst into flame.

Shrinks Out of Sight

The sea cucumber, one of the curious elly bodies that inhabit the ocean, can practically efface himself when in langer by squeezing the water out of his body, and forcing himself into a narrow crack-so narrow as not to be visible to the naked eye. He can throw out nearly the whole of his inside, and yet live and grow it again.

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About the Eye.

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MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH.

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The ERPUBLICAN is indebted to B. Z. Taylot dealer in grain, provisions and stocks, with correspondents in Chicago, New York, Minneapoil and St. Louis for the following market quots Open- High- Low- Clos-

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tern Union, "Low" above is lowest points

Wheat-20. Estimated, 20: Year ago, 56. Jorn-559. **Retimated**, 475; a year ago, 192 Oats-356: Estimated, 320: a year ago, 203. Wheat, 32; Corn. 600; oats, 500.

Wheat opened active and Re to Re highe vas active it is meant that the market was a the market had jumped around over a range of two cents, going down first, to get a good run ning start, and then shooting straight up in the air for two cents. But the market got proud and it is well known that "pride goeth before a fall," and the market fell, "and great was the ful thereof," With a rush the price went off 29 cents, caused mostly by the visible decreasing year ago.

Hog receipts 36,000: estimated 35,000. Market teady. Light, \$3.256(\$3.50; mlxed, \$3.10@\$3.45; neavy, \$3.200383 3714; rough, \$2.95@\$3.10. Estimated for to-morrow, 19,000. Cattle receipts 17,000; market easy.

LONDON, 1 p. m .- Off coast: wheat, strong 3d higher; corn, quiet. On passage: Wheat, strong, 3d higher; corn, firm. Danubian shipments to Europe: Wheat, 123,000 qrs.; corn

LIVERPOOL, 1 p. m.-Wheat, spot, firm; futures, steady. Corn, spot, firm; futures NEW YORK, June's .- Stocks opened only sier, and so contined up to 11 o'clock.

Stocks continued easy till noon. Silver ce

ificates quiet, shade lower, NEW YORK MARKET. New York, Jane 8 - Wheat, July, 67%, Cort fuly, 34%. Oats, July, 23. NEW YORK, June 6.-Butter, quiet, 802153

ST. LOUIS MARKET. Sr. Louis, June 8.—Wheat, cash, No.2, red, 59c; July, 58 c. Corn. cash, 25%; July, Oats, cash, 17%; July, 18. PRORIA QUOTATIONS.

PROBLA, June 8.—Corn, steady. No. 2 27c Dats, Steady. No. 2, white, 184@184. Ryo 34. DECATUR STOCK MARKET. The following are the ruling prices paid by

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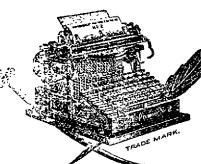
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be Disposed of, but Some of These Present Questions Difficult of Solution.

WASHINGTON, June 8.—Unless all signs ail, congress will adjourn this week, and those in touch with the business of both houses appear to agree that that result may be secured by Wednesday. Still, conditions are such that a hitch might occur at any moment which would protract the session for another week. This however, while

a possible contingency, is not expected.

The business of the senate depends entirely upon the headway made with conference reports. Several of the ap-propriation bills are to be disposed of,

believe will be acceptable to both house; the sundry civil bill, upon which the house and senate appear to the naval appropriation bill. It was be deadlocked over the appropriations for public buildings inserted by the senate, and the district bill, numerous items of which are in dispute. It is confidently expected however, that all confidently expected, however, that all battleships, the conference compro-of these will be out of the way within mise fixing the number at three, and

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opening presents itself.

Mr. Hill who is in charge of the contempt of court bill, a piece of legislation growing out of the Debs case, is also anxious for consideration and may lock horns with Mr. Lodge for the right of way. Mr. Gear will seek to fix a day during the next session when the Pacific Railroad refunding acts shall be taken up. In this he may succeed, as both friends and op-ponents believe that this subject should be settled one way or the

All of these and other matters that may come before the senate will tend to make the next few days exceedingly busy ones, and if Mr. Allen chairman of the committee on appropriations, carries out his vigorously expressed intention of not reporting the adjournment resolution until all the appropriation bills have gone to the president, there may be ample time to distress several things upon which senators desire to speak. The course of business is, therefore, uncertain and the forecast is largely conjectural.

THE NATIONAL GAME.

Results of Games Played Saturday and Yesterday by League and Associ-ation Clubs. NATIONAL LEAGUE. At Boston-Chicagos, 4: Bostons, 1.

At New York-St Louis, 6; New Yorks, 4. At Brooklyn-Cincinnatis, 13, Brooklyns, 0. Washington-Washingtons, 10; Louis-

At Baltimore-Baltimores, 11; Clevelands, 6. At Philadelphia-Philadelphias, 5; Pitts-ourgby, 2. WESTERN ASSOCIATION.

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At Indianapolis—St. Pauls 11: Indianapolis,5. At Detroit -Milwakees. 8, Detroits, 7.

At Grand Rapids-Kansas Citys, 19; Grand the bill-172 to 43.

At Columbus-Columbus, 8, Minneapolis, 5, Yesterday's Games.

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At Columbus—Columbus, 12; Minneapolis, 4. How They Stand.

Washingtons. Minority Report on the General Subject of Reciprocity and Commercial Treation.

WASHINGTON, June 7 .- The minority members of the ways and means committee submitted to the house yesterday their report on the general subject of reciprocity and commercial treaties. The report criticises the reciprocity provision of the tariff act of 1890, and characterizes it as a system of arbitrary retaliation rather than a plan of reciprocal trade.

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#### FIFTY-FOURTH CONGRESS.

(First Session.)

Washington, June 7.—The senate gave its almost undivided attention yesterday to conference reports on general appropriation bills. The first that came before it was that on the sundry civil bill, where no agreement had been reached in conference. The chief point in controversy between the two houses was as to a number of senate amendments for the construction of public buildings in the capitals of four new states—Idaho, Wyoming, Montana and Utah—and for the in-Montana and Utah—and for the increase of the limits of expenditure in buildings that are being constructed in Kansas City, Mo., Savannah, Ga., and Camden, N. J., all of which were resisted by the house conferees. The senate, however, by an unanimous voie insisted on these public building amendments and the bill was referred. amendments and the bili was referred back for further conference.

came up was on the Indian appropriation bill. All points of disagreement had been settled in prior partial reports and there had only remained two matters to be adjusted. These were as to the payment of lawyers fees on the "old settlers" or western Cherokee "The Indian bill, upon which the claim, and as to contract schools for house refused to act favorably on the Indian children. Both these items conference agreed to in the senate; were now adjusted, the first by an the post office bill, the report on which instruction to the secretary of the inwas agreed to in the house Saturday, terior to withhold the fund until and will be accepted by the senate to day; the naval bill, which will doubt less be disposed of speedily this more the contract schools to the first of ing, as the conferees have already for-mulated a compromise which they be-ference report was agreed to without

> a final report, but it was disagreed to -yeas, 22; nays, 24--and the bill goes back for further conference. The controversy was on the number of new

measures which were being pressed upon the speaker for consideration, but one such bill was acted upon by the body in a session prolonged largely beyond the usual period. That was a senate bill to regulate fourth class mail matter which was passed upon a motion by Mr. Loud (rep., Cal.).

The effect of the bill is to shut out

of the mails the supplies and stores of executive departments which, under a liberal construction of the postal laws and regulations, have been held to be mailable matter.

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The reports of the committee on ways and means, majority and minority, upon the question of reciprocity were presented and 10,000 copies of each were ordered to be printed.

A bill was passed extending the jurisdiction of the United States courts over crimes committed in the Indian territory and providing for the leasing of mineral, farm and grazing lands. At 7:25 p. m. the house took a recess

until ten o'clock Monday. MISS MAYNE WARRALL,

An English Tourist, Dies Suddenly in San San Francisco, June 8. - Miss Mayne

Worrall, of Chester Lodge, Gileston Road, South Kensington, London Eng., a highly connected and accou plished young lady about twenty-two years of age died suddenly in her room at the Palace hotel here Saturday afternoon. The cause of her death is unknown, but symptoms indicate strychnine poisoning.
Miss Worrall was journeying around

the world alone. She arrived in this city Thursday last from Australia on the steamer Alameda and was apparently in excellent health and spirits. An early caller Saturday morning

found Miss Worrall seriously ill. physician was immediately summoned, but his efforts were unavailing and the young lady died in a few hours. An autopsy will shortly be held on the remains.
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Mr. Parsons (rep., Vt.) brought up the bill clothing the purchasers of the Atlantic & Pacific rallroad under foreclosure sale with the same rights privileges and obligations as those in the general deficiency appropriation bill. It was withdrawn to avoid a hostill. It was vigorously attacked by Messrs. Mahon (rep., Pa.) and Grosvenor (rep., O.), and detended by Messrs. Cannon (rep., Ill.), Dockery (dem., Mo.) and Sayers (dem. Tex.), and finally sustained by a vote of 170 to 30.

Mr. Cannon presented a revised bill omitting the French spoliation and Bowman act war claims, all included in a single amendment, and moved that the rules be suspended and the bill passed.

This was opposed by Messrs. Mahon (rep., Ph.), Richardson (dem., Ton.), Evans (rep., Tenn.) and Wellington (rep., Md.), chiefly on the ground that the president had made no objections to the war claims and the house and senate had voted that they ought to be paid. The house, however, refused the bill—172 to 43.

Petition to Sell Real Estate.

STATE OF IILINOIS, §ss.

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Master in Chancery's Sale.

tion. No. 15,272.

Public notice is hereby given in pursuance of a decree of the circuit court of Macon county, state of Hilnois, entered at the January term. A. D. 1896, of said court, in the above entitled cause, I. James J. Flan, master-in-chancery of said court, will on

Wodnesday, the 17th day of June, 1896,

Wodnesday, the 17th day of June, 1896, at the hour 2 o'clock, p. m. at the front door of the court house, in the City of Decatur, in Macounty, Illinois, offer for sale at public vendue to the highest and best blider the land described in said decree as follows, to-wit:

Commencing at the southeast corner of lot six, (6), in block eleven (11), in South Addition to the City of Decatur, in Jiacon county, Illinois, thence south sixty (60) feet, thence exest one hundred and ten (110) feet, thence north sixty (60) feet, thence east one hundred and ten (110) feet to the place of beginning, situated in Macon county, Illinois.

Terms - Cash in hand.

Datod at Decatur, Illinois, May 16, 1966.

JAMES J. FINN, Master in Chancery, LEFORGEE & LEE, Solicitors.

May 18, 1895-day.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

By virtue of an execution to me directed and delivered by the elerk of the circuit court of Macon county, Hilbols, in favor of Ellen Roberts and against William H. Radiff, I have levied upon the following described property, to-wit: Lots Twenty four (24) and Twenty-live (25). Crowder & Roberts' addition to the City of Decatur, in Macon county. Hilbols, taken as property of the said William H. Radiff, which I shall offer at public sale at the north door of the court bouse, in Decatur, in Macon county in said state, on the 27th day of June, A. D., 1896, at 2 o'clock p. m. of said day, for cash in hand to satisfy said execution.

This 5th day of June, A. D. 1896,
J. P. NICHOLSON,
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Sunday Trains.

Sunday Trains.

The Peoria, Decatur & Evansville Railway, always catering to the wants of the traveling public, commencing on Sunday, May 8d, will every Sunday during the summer, run through Day Trains both ways between Peoria and Evansville, South-bound: This train will pass Decatur at 11:39 a. m., north bound, at 3:39 p. m. As special excursion rates are made between all stations every Sunday, these trains give the people along the line of its road an opportunity to visit their friends, or to spend the day in the woods at some of the popelar resorts maintained by this road. This service is in addition to the regular Sunday morning and evening trains in and out of Peoria and in and out of Evansville. EXECUTOR'S NOTICE.

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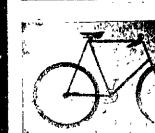


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SEALED BIDS.

Public notice is hereby given that the contract will be tet by the city of Decatur for the construction of the city patrol wagon house, according to the plans and specifications now on the city patrol wagon house, according to the plans and specifications now on the in the city patrol was despecifications now on the interest of the city patrol will be received from date hereof until 5 o'clock p. m., June 15, 1886. A certified cheek in the said contract will be let to the lowest responsible bidder. The right to reject any and all bids is hereby reserved.

F. L. HAYS, City Clerk, Dated this 5th day of June, A. D. 1896.

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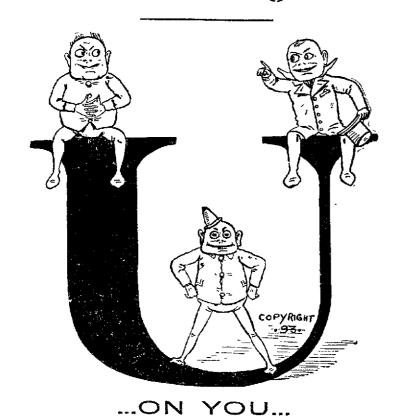
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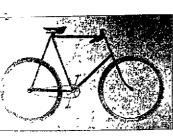
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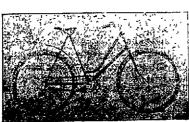
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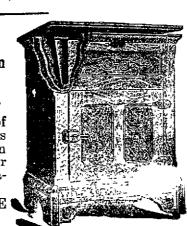
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San Francisco Lady Who Has Over Six

Mrs. D. J. Davis, of San Francisco, Cal., has the longest hair in the world, It clusters in a great mass about her head, and though she is a tall woman, being five feet nine inches in height, her long tresses, when uncoiled, sweep upon the ground for nearly a foot. Her hair is just six feet and eight inches

Mrs. Davis comes of a family remarkable alike for their height and the length of their hair. Though Mrs. Davis is five feet and nine inches in height, she is shorter by nearly an inch than either of her three sisters. But while they have the advantage in height, they cannot equal her in the matter of hair, notwithstanding that all three have curls over a yard and a half long. Not the least remarkable part of this wonderful hirsute development is that while all three of Mrs. Davis' sisters ha-! long hair from early childhood, the young lady herself could never induce her tresses to fall below her shoulders, so that it is only within the past years that they have developed such a tenency to eclipse Paderewski's shaggv But it is not surprising that Mrs.

Davis and her sisters should have such a "crowning glory" to boast of, for the mother of this interesting family had hair that dangled five feet from the crown of her head. Mrs Davis seems to have lived all her life among long-haired people, for her sister-in-law, with whom in the Potrero, has over four feet of hair, and her niece, a little garl scarcely three years old, has a braid 21 inches in length, which she succeeds daily in tangling badly, and for which she as regularly does penance when the comb

"I never brush my hair," said Mrs Davis, as she removed those long core pins that held great coils in place about her head so that her hair might be measured, "for the reason that I do not believe it is good for the hair. In fact, I have demonstrated my belief to my



When a girl I gave very little attention to my hair, and in consequence it did not grow at all. Sometimes I felt very three of my sisters, but I was some what careless. When I became a woman I suddenly developed a desire to have long hair like theirs, and began to take the utmost care of what little I had Every morning, and sometimes twice e day, I brushed it thoroughly, but it did not grow any better. Then I noticed that the brush, after the daily applica tion to the hair, even when the latter had no tendency to fall out, would be filled with very fine hairs, and soon realized that while the brushing Lad no effect upon the long hair it effectually killed the new growth, and I decided to

stop.
"Since then I have used nothing but a library manning I very coarse comb. Every morning I all succeeding writers. wer the hair thoroughly and care fully, removing every small antil it is about my head. I never used cosmetics on my han."-N. Y. Sunday Journal.

SHE READS TO SAVE.

where and when and how to purchase ased to laugh at me for reading adverisements so carefully, and he has long duce learned that I lave many dollars every month, says a writer in Womankind. I know of no better way to price tice economy, and do you know it is a wonder how oon you learn to detect the real from the false, intuitively, alost? I do not think I have ever been 'taken in" by an advertisement; there is always something about the false ones that repels me. You hear a good deal nowadays about the "practical pages" of magazines and newspapers, but for me the practical pages are those containing the business announcements of reputable houses. The housekeeper who takes advantage of the practical hints in those pages shows a great deal more common sense than does the one who tries to furnish a seven-room cot tage with a lot of soap boxes covered with denim worked in fancy stitch, and to feed her growing family with never-ending reminiscences of the meal that went before. To the economical housekeeper the advertisements are the most mportant part of any publication. Fad for Pocketless Woman.

Very many beautiful batiste and rass linen handkerchiefs have exquisite borders of Point de Venice or Irish ace. The handkerchief is worn tucked under the sleeve at the wrist and falls out, partially covering the hand. It is a caprice which, though a bit odd, is a novel idea, and therefore will out-

From a letter written by Rev. J. Gunderman, of Diamondale, Mich.. we are permitted to make this extract: "I have no hesitation in recommending Dr. king's New Discovery, as the results were almost marvelous in the case of my wife. While I was paster of the Baptist church at Rives Junction she was brought down with Pneumonia succeeding La Grippe. Terrible paroxysms of coughing would last hours with little interruption, and it seemed as if she could not survive them. A friend recommended Dr. King's New Discovery; it was quick in its work and highly satisfactory in results." At West's drug store.

Nashville Centennial Exposmon Will Be

The Tennessee centennial exposition, to celebrate the end of the first century of Tennessee's history, will open in Nashville on June 1. On that day the centennial exercises will be held and the exposition will be formally inaugurated. The exposition will continue through six months to Novem-The construction of the exposition

began last January, and seven large buildings are now nearing completion, including the auditorium, which has a seating capacity of 5,000 and is practically finished. All of the buildings of the exposition will be white and the exterior construction will be of staff.

President Cleveland and his cabinet, both branches of congress, the diplomatic corps, the supreme court, the

newspaper correspondents at Washington and the governors of states have been invited, and assurances have been received that a large proportion of them will attend. The exercises of June 1 will be held in the auditorium on the exposition grounds, the governor of Tennessee presiding. The principal adfollowed by E. W. Carmack and A. A

The ceremonies will last two days. The parade of the first day will be headed by the United States Marine band and 3,000 federal troops, escorted by 2,000 soldiers of the national guard of Tennessee. There will be 30 bands in she now resides at the Union hotel line leading the various divisions of military and civic organizations.

A display of fireworks will be made

on the night of the first day, and the elebration will end in a sham battle on the afternoon of the second day.

WELL TREATED AT ATHENS. losion Athletic Team Returns Home

Pleased with the Trip. Crowned with victory and loaded lown with valises, honors and walking sticks, the members of the Boston Athletic association, who competed in the Olympia games in Athens, have reached

John Graham, manager and trainer of the team, in speaking of the trip said: "The Greeks carried out their programme to the letter, and they deserve great credit for their namagement. It must be taken into consideration that the event was only a revival of the Olympia games of years ago, and the Greeks were lacking in experience. The royal family rendered all the assistance in their power toward the success of the games and treated us foreigners nobly. When we left Athens the people cried out: 'Zeto, alas," which means 'Victors, good-by.' Our yell was what most pleased the natives. At the top of our voices we would cry: 'B-a-a-rah, rah, rah.' This so pleased the king that he frequently requested us to repeat it, and sometimes would join in with us."

DOG DISFIGURES ACTRESS. rs. Emmet Drew Severely Lacerate

During a Rehearsal. Mrs. Emmet Drew, known on the tage as Hattle Richardson, who is a leading singer in the Wilbur Opera company, now playing in Troy, was disfigured for life by a St. Bernard dog. The dog was on the stage at rehearsal, nuch chaggined to see how much and Mrs. Drew yelled in his ear. The longer and prettier was the hair of all dog bit into her check and held on unand Mrs. Drew yelled in his car. The til beaten off by the woman's husband Three of the women on the stage at the time fainted at the sight. Mrs. Drew's face was terribly lacerated.

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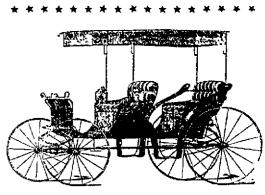
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W. R. C. Regular meeting of Dunham W. R. C. No. 4, at G. A. R. hall to-morrow at 2 30 p. m. All members requested to be present; business of importance. Expire R. Kennedy, Pres. Marky Snyder, Sec.

I. O. O. F.—Regular meeting of Celestial Lodge No. 186, this (Monday) eveding. A full attendance is requested. All members of the Degree Staff carnestly requested to be present. Work in the 1st degree. Visiting members will find a most cordial welcome. W. H. GLESSNER, N. G. D. J. CLOYD, Sec. Y.

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A vacant house at Mt. Zion was struck by lightning Sunday night and was coniderably damaged.

George Hadfield spent Sunday in Oreone. While in that city he occupied the pulpit of the Christian church morning

Go to Spencer & Lehman company for fine surreys, canopy and extension topbuggies and road wagons, and a full line of medium grade vehicles. Feb. 26, d&w tf

David Stickle, of Elwin, has been con fined to his house for several days with a ery painful inflammation of one of his eet. He hopes to be well soon as he is

going around some now. The W. B. Chambers residence has been cased to Mrs. Lowis Casa, late of St. Louis, who will occupy it for a year at east, and conduct a boarding house for a

lmited number of people. The handsome office of Bolen & Lannng real estate brokers, are now in Rooms 401 and 403, Millikin Bank Boilding. They say the latch string is always

out for all callers. Children's Day concerts will be held next Sabbath at the M.E. church at Long Creek at 19:30 a.m., at Blue Mound chapel at 3 p.m., and at the M. E. church at Mt. Zion at 7:30 p. m. The concert at the M. E. church in Elwin will

10:30 a. m.

The M. E. church at Elwin and Blue Mound chapel were largely attended on Sabbath to witness the reception into full membership of a large number of probations-the fruit of the revival meetings last winter. Rev. A. M. Danely, the pastor, preached appropriately to the occasion and the church and friends each took the new members by the hand and gave them a glad welcome into the

#### HE, SHE OR IT.

The Greatest Freak of Nature Ever Born

in This Country. The above refers to one of the most remarkable living wonders that has ever been seen or heard of. It is a human being 22 years of age, bright and intelligent. The voice and manner are fominine, likewise the form and features. It has baffled science to say whether this freak of nature is man or woman. This living wender arrived in this city last! Saturday and was exhibited to a number of prominent physicians who prenounced t the strangest treak of nature on record. Will be on exhibition today and tomorrow from 1 until 5 and 7 until 10 p. m.,

Stenographer and Typewriter. Call at room 11, court house, for work will be served as refreshments. Commitin this line. Satisfaction guaranteed

#### THE STORM LAST NIGHT.

It was a Severe One and It was the End. ing of a Very Hot and Unpleasnnt Day.

The storm of Sunday night was a severe one, but the coolness that it brought was welcomed by everoyne. The day was excessively hot and in the evening it was just as had. At 7 o'clock a storm was threatened but it did not come until about 10 o'clock. At a time when the heat seemed almost unbearable the wind suddenly began to blow and for a short time there was a small sized tornado. The wind was followed by the rain which came down in torrents and the streets were flooded with water. The temperature was much lower after the strom and the change was pleasant.

Considerable damage was done in different parts of the city by the storm. On one of the chimneys on the residence of F. M. Young on West Prairie avenue was blown down and damaged the slate roof on the house. A large tree on West North street was blown over and extended almost all the way across the street. An apple tree in Dr. Will Barnes' yard was blown down and many branches were torn off trees on Prairie avenue and William street. Two large wagons in the northeast part of the city were turned over by the wind. No Damage at the Burg.

Many inquiries were made at the Republican office today as to alleged storm damago at Warrensburg Sunday night. There was a severe blow at that town but no more damage there than in Decatur. There is telegraph and telephone connec-

#### TAX CASES IN COURT.

Judgement Entered by Judge Hammer on

In the county court this morning Judge Hummer entered fluid judgment against all parties delinquent in the payment of taxes for the year 1895 and now the sales by County Treasurer Patterson can go ahead without interruption. All of the objections were overruled except in these

The objection of B. A. Allison was sustained as it appeared that some of his land had been assessed twice.

The objection of Roach & McReynolds was sustained for the same reason. The objection of Dickey was sustained

for the same reason. The Wabash Railroad Company's ob-

jections were overruled as to the taxes in Oakley township and sustained as to those in Wheatland, Blue Mound and Niantic. In Decatur township the taxes wore reduced from \$115 to \$32.65.

The objection of I. D. Walker were overruled this morning.

#### SWIM BELOW THE DAM.

The Poller to Go After the Bathers-Trou-

In order to keep boys and adults out of trouble the Republican will state that the edict has gone forth that the police shall arrest and presecute all parties great and small, rich or poor, who shall in the future be caught or heard of swimming in the Sangamon river at any point above

Vigorous complaint is made that many people bathe in the river above the dam, and it is charged that this practice contaminates the water which comes through the pipe to the city for cooking and drinking purposes.

A hint to the wise should be sufficient. If you go in swimming jump in below

The Endeavor Picnic. The committee appointed by the Macon county Christian Endoavor umon execuivo committee to arrange for the county Endeavor picnic have secured. Goodman's band to play for the afternoon of the pic-

Prof. Elmer C. Wood has also been engaged to take charge of 150 voices who will furnish music. It is expected that state president Stewart will be in attendside Park on Thursday, June 25.

The vice president of the union, J. A. Montgomery, of Macon, was in the city yesterday to attend a meeting of the arrangement committee for the picnic.

Thomas P Jones died of kidney trouble at 1:30 o'clock this morning at his home, No. 493 South Seigel street. The deceased was born in London, England, in 1822 and came to this country in 1826. He leaves two daughters, Misses Lucila and Lillian Jones, both of this city. health. For the past twenty-five years he has been in the employ of A. Kramer and was a man who was highly respected by begin one week from next Sabbath at all who knew him. The time for the funeral will be announced later.

#### Powers' Shoe Store.

We contracted to be delivered in the month of April 800 pairs of ladies' \$5 ox same shade. The shoes have just come in to him and he became so interested that and rather than have them returned the he went out, borrowed \$100, and bought manufacturers have reduced the price so a wheel, and now-pardon the slangthat we can retail them to you at \$3.50 a at this very minute that man is fairly pair. See our gentlemen's French calf rolling in dust."—Chicago Tribune. patent leathers at \$4, every pair warranted. Ladies' tan hals, and button boot, \$1.50 a pair, are not matched in this town today. Powers' shoe store -2-d&wiw

Owes \$11 at Mattoon. It now appears that the grip J. B. Frainer says he had at the St. Nicholas is now at the Essex house at Mattoon where be able to settle when his brother arrives anything tight, anywhere—shoes must from Chicago. He was wired Saturday to send \$50 to settle all claims.

#### Lawn Sociable.

Bay Leaf Camp No. 29, R. N. of A. will give a lawn sociable at the home of Neighbor James Miller, No. 975 North at 247 South Park street. Admission 15 Water street, on Tuesday evening, June 9. The public is cordially invited to attend. Ice cream, strawberries and cake

### ASSIGNMENT.

Albert F. Ross, Clothing Merchant, Out of Business.

W. RACE IS THE ASSIGNEE.

Liabilities, \$16,110; Assets, \$25,076.63 -Full List of the Creditors-Closed by the

This forenoon at 11 o'clock the clothing and gents' furnishing store of Albert F. Ross in the H. W. Fenton building at 147 North Water street, was visited by Deputy Sheriff Holmes, and a few moment later the doors of the store were closed and the curtains drawn.

Sheriff.

Later it was ascertained that Mr. Ross had made an assignment to J. W. Race for the benefit of his creditors. The papers were on file in the office of County Clerk Dodd. They make this showing: List of Creditors-Liabilities.

Heldelback, Friedland & Co., promissory note, \$3,997 65 Levy, Price & Co., note. 1,180.75 Centennial Tailoring Co..... Wilson Bros. 145 88 Sweet, Dempster & Co. 360 82 P. S. Carley .... .... Wesendouck, Lorrenz & Co .... H. Stolt/man ...... Heckster Bros... Follows & Co ...... Hodd Falkenrod Co..... '. H, Dennis, note..... 2,560 00 Assets.

25 feet off the south side of lot 5, and 8 feet off north side of lot 6, and 33 feet by 50 feet off lot 7, all in block 3, South addition to Decatur, \$4,000.

Undivided half interest in 32 feet off south side of lot 6 and 33 feet off south end of lot 7, block 3, south addition to Decatur, \$3,009.

All of the above property subject to

mortgage of \$2,800 payable to C. H. Dennis, also subject to a certain mortgage in favor of H. W. Fenton in the sum of Personal assets, stock of goods in store

at 147 North Water, value \$15,000; open accounts against various parties \$2,500. Total assets \$25,076 63.

The failure is due to depression of buscould not realize on the goods to get cash to meet pressing obligations.

#### THE RECEIVERSHIP

Delay in Naming a Man to Take Charge of the Municipal Plant.

It was expected that the first thing to be done in the cricuit court this afternoon by Judge Vail would be the appointment of a receiver for the Municipal Electric Light and Power plant, but up to 3 'clock nothing had been done because it appeared that the parties in interest could not agree upon a man. Quite a number of names had been suggested, but as there are eight different individuals to satisfy in the matter, no agreement could be realed up to the hour stated. Several propositions have been made. It is stated that the plant actually cost \$85,000 and that it pays over 10 per cent, on an in-It is probable that the case will be apvestment of \$100,000. Holders of the new part of the plant say they have offer- SOLD HIS EQUITY IN A BRIDE, P. Loeb, Scruggs, W. H. Ennis, I' A. ed to plank down the cash, \$16,800, to pay off the mortgage held by the bank.

| Castman, Quinlan, J. M. Maris W | Whitley, H. Maris, J. M. Grave the Relinquishes His Claim for Whitley pay off the mortgage held by the bank, but the offer was not accepted. It is be lieved by some that if the receiver is appointed the whole matter will be settled m a few months, and that no one will lose a dollar.

Later-At 4 p. m. it was understood ance. The pienic is to be held at River- that the name of the receiver would not enzen, who paid her fare. In honor of be presented to the court until tomorrow

#### THE BICYCLE AGENT.

Anything to Make Talk and Hold the

Buttonholed Victim. The bicycle agent patted the saddle of the sample wheel admiringly with one hand, while with the other he held fast to the buttonhole of the prospective purchaser.

"I tell you, sir," he said, "you have no idea what a wheel does for a man. I have known men, feeble, weak, with tired-out brains and exhausted bodies. His wife died about six months ago and striving day and night to carn a bare since than Mr. Jones has been in poor pittance, and I have sold those men wheels and seen them in a month's time healthy, strong in mind and body, and on the highroad to fortune.'

"You don't say so?" exclaimed the prospective buyer. The agent became extremely confi-

"I mean it; every word of it. Why, not four days ago-mark that, not four days ago-a man came in here who blood shoes; also 300 pairs of gentlemen's didn't have a cent-not a cent. I talked

Cycling Is Good for Women. Women are waking up to the fact that the joy men feel in muscle work for its own sake is within their grasp also, and the bicycle it is that has opened their yes. Physicians are almost amazed at the benefit possible to derive from a judicious use of the bicycle in all sorts of cases, and now the only question in it is in soak for \$11 for board, secured by all physicians agree, and that is that Trainer, and the Essex house man is anx- the use of tight clothing is injurious. ious. Trainer is still in jail. He may This does not mean corsets only, but

> wheeling.-Springfield Republican. The most famous tenor was Farinelli and one Farinelli,'

be as loose as possible to give full play

to the great number of muscles used in

The most noted Roman orator was Ci cero, who won his renown in his orations against Catiline. The most famous English admiral wa

Nelson, who destroyed the French power

Judge I. B. Craig, of Mattoon, is at the St. Nicholas hotel.

PERSONAL MENTION.

the city today.

Rev. A. P. Cobb, of Springfield, is in

Frank W. Haines left Sunday night for

Gordon Penhallegon laft this morning

n a trip to Indiana. Mrs. Marie Whitehurst returned Satur day from Springfield.

Harold Patterson went to Sullivan this morning on business. W. B. Chambers and family will leave

for Missouri tomorrow evening. Miss Jessle Leforgee left this morning for Davenport, Iowa, where she will visit

I. B. Lee, formerly principal of the Decatur High school, is in the city from Chicago.

Rev. and Mrs. J. C. Crane and daugher, Miss Minnie, visited friends in Wind-E. J. Selover, of Des Moines, Iowa, is visiting his sisters, Mrs. Tombs and Mrs.

James Cromwell. Charles Pratt, who has been attending the Lake Forest Unversity, is home on a vacation to visit his father, F. M. Pratt.

Albert Trull, of Eigin, who has been n the city visiting the family of I. N. Martin, left this morning for Geneve, Itl. Mrs. Fannie J. Sedgwick left this morning for Chicago and from there she short time. White was a colored Landing will go to Harbor Pont, Mich, where she

will stay during the summer.

Miss Eleanor Ingram, who has been in the city visiting Miss Dalsy Stafford, left this morning for her home in Rector, Ark. Both young ladies recently returned from Jacksonville where they attended the institution for the blind.

Mrs. Ellen Philbrook, accompanied by 19 85 Miss Lelah Durgen, who has been visiting 15 75 in the city, left this morning for Chicago. 16 88 After staying a wook in that city the two ladies will go to Miss Durgen's home in Tillton, N. H.

Mrs. E. B. Trull, who was 84 years of age Saturday, received a number of congratulatory callers at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Newt Cool, 925 North Clinton street. The lady is in very good health considering her advanced age.

#### SALVATION ARMY GOES FREE but was Dismissed by Justice Odor.

The Salvation Army case has been dismissed. It came up again this morning before Justice Odor after having been continued several times. The case opened with the examination of witnesses. Jacob Wilhelmy, Thomas Quinn and Henry Bachrach were put on the stand. They. were unable to identify all the defendants and Attorney Lee for the prosecution moved that the court require all the defendants to stand up and give their names. After some argument the court stock of goods but sales were slow, and he allowed the motion. Then Attorney D. C. Corley said that he insisted that the defendants keep their seats. He said that it was the duty of the procention to furnish evidence and that the witnesses were unable to identify the defendants. Ho mentioned the fact that there was a law by which no man could be made to give evidence aganist himself and he insisted that the defendants refuse to obey the order of the court. Not one of the Salvationists stood up. Attorney Lee suggested that Mr. Corley be fined for contempt of court and the latter said that W. L. Shellabarger, L. C. Shellabarger they could fine if they wanted to for he was in the right. The justice was some. Everett Brown, Hugh Crea, R. S. Bahon, what angered at not having his rulings Clokey, C. A. Ewing, Thomas, A W oboyed and he said he would postpone the Conklin, E. P. Warren, E D Battlebecase until Wednesday. Mr. Corley said he didn't care if it was postponed until Roberts, Randal, Kinsman, Abbott, Hat doom's day. The squire then desmissed

A well authenticated story from Prairie du Pont, St. Clair county, Ill., is to the effect that Michael Sorenzen, a Swede, has sold his interest in his proposed bride for \$212. The girl in question, Mary Jacobson, arrived there a month ago at the solicitation of Sorher arrival a dancing party was given at the town hall and among the guests was Stanley Johnson, also a Śwedc, who immediately fell in love with Mary. She reciprocated and they met frequently. This greatly angered Sorenzen, and the men met in a saloon the other night, prepared to fight it out. Friends interfered and Johnson finally promise was effected, Johnson paying the rejected lover \$212 and taking a re-ceipt. The girl agreed to the conditions of the transfer and in a few days

#### will be married to Johnson. "FINDINGS ARE KEEPINGS."

Mrs. Stier Is Awarded Title to a Piece of Unclaimed Land Worth. \$16,000. By reason of having held undisputed ossession of a parcel of unclaimed land in Jefferson township, Ill., for 20 years and more Mrs. Catherine Stier the other iay was awarded a title to the tract containing some fifteen acres near the Crawford avenue station of the North-

vestern railway. In 1869 Mrs. Stier and John Stier, her husband, rented a farm of 20 acres from one Henry Harmes. In the absence of a claimant to the 15 acres adjoining they turned their cows into the lot, and later moved an abandoned shanty upon t and set up housekeeping.

Some time ago Harmes laid claim to the hand and entered suit for forcible entry and detainer, demanding Tent In Judge Windes' court Mrs. Stier appeared, blind and leaning upon a staff, the land. After a few minutes' delib. Metz at King & Metz' drug store. eration the jury awarded her the title, coal all sizes, always in stock it marks which is worth about \$16,090.

writer, and the founder of this style of His word pictures have been inchised all succeeding writers.

Highest of all in Leavening Power.—Latest U.S. Gov't Report

### STRUCK BY A TRAIN

William White Receives Fatal In. juries on a Crossing.

#### LEAVES A WIFE AND SEVEN CHILDREN

Accident Occurred This Afternoon on East Wood Street -Hole in His

Head.

This afternoon William White, aged to cars, who has a wife and seven children residing on East Clay street, in the Fourth word, was struck by a Pools, Decatur & Evansville train, the at Wood street crossing of the Illinois Central radroad. He got in front of the tran and was thrown considerable distance the train was stopped and the body taken to the Union depot. Dr. W. J. Chenometh was called to attend the man limas found that his skull was fractured and from the hole the brains were owing, also that his jaw was fractured. He was also hurt internally. The injuries are of a fatal character. Death is expected ma

#### THE CONCERT.

It Will Occur at the Grand To-Morrow Night-The Participants.

The grand home concert for the benefit of the St Louis ternade sufferers given by the Nellis Lyric soriety will occur at the Grand temorrow night. An execleprogram will be executed. The personnel is given below:

Members of the society, Miss sorney, resident, and Mrs. Adoline Louise Vd. lis, director.

Orchestra-Opera house, Prof. R Wal

tor, president. Superior Quartet-Mr. and Mrs. 1 1. Bunn, Mr. and Mrs. B. Gher.

Nellis Lady Quartet-Misses Beatra Howard, May Kimber, Anna Brewn, ad

Arion Male Quartet-R. W. Chilson, C W. Montgomery, F. E. Bunn, C N Brown.

Violinist-Prof. Otto Soldan. Baritone-Charles W. Knox Accompanist-Miss Nita Clark and I'd-

m Bunn. Chorus-Misses Howard, Harwood Nicholson, Hoskins, Bussey, Crea, Brown. Nichols, Sutton, Kimber, Mrs. Harwook Misses Brown, Seruggs, Burrays, hum. Mrs. Howard, Messrs. Kepler, Osberne, Johnson, Dickenson, Clark, Dunsten Abrams, Brown, Lindamond, Jones,

Bower. It goes without saying that for so wer thy an object the hall will be packed to the doors. All of the money realized will be promptly forwarded to the proper parties at St. Louis.

Patrons. Decatur Womans' club, Mayor Canklin and wife, Judge and Mrs. Voll, Rev. Perhallegon, Rev. Hobbs, Rev Howe, Rev. Atkins, Rev. Miller, Rev. MacGregorand their wives, Messrs. D. S. Shell darger. F. Given. Durfee, Walston, Will Barnes, mew, James Millikin, W. T. Wells, J. I. wood, Howard, Lutz, O. Powers George the case entirely and the army went free, W. Bright, D. Bradley, Outten, M. John son, Sr., George R. Bacon, Roach, Black stone, Armstrong, Berling, A. C Hill. Powers and their wives. Mrs. 11 P  $^{\rm Wat}$ ren, Mrs. Hayes, Mrs. S. P. Yeung, Wes.

#### Carrio Powers and Mr. O. B. Germ

Cool, comfortable feet make a cool talculating head. Tan shoes are the thing le accomplish it with. We are showing ome exceptionally pretty styles in mans and womens' tuns. All the toes, all the widths. They please the eye and vest feet are at home in them. Men - high and low cuts \$2.00 to \$5.00. Our \$5.00 line is the most perfect and highest qual ity made. Women's all styles \$150 to \$4.00. Our Oxfords are simply exquisit

"Big Shoo Store," 355 N. Water street Sunday at Riverside. There were a large number of person at Riverside park Sunday afternoon when

Goodman's band gave a concert. Besides

Walter Hutchin

the music to attract the people there was the natatorium and the row best- and those who were at the park passed a phase ant afternoon.

Marriage Licenses, Wm. F. Colladay, Chicago... Ada M. Hoehn, Decatur.. David H. Frantz, Oakley. Lydia H. Traxler, Linter.

Born-To Mr. and Mrs. Fred Oyler of 350 South Traver street, on Sunday Jan No better soft coal in this market that Lincoln or Riverton. Buy it of M Metz. Personally he can be found at the yard office, 800 North Breadway

Blaths.

Broadway office; Old Phone 47' New Phone 435. Also leave order with I Cann 628 North Main or with Ham

The most sublime of poets was bank

Discussing the Platform-Utal a Straddle While Cy Lelan Kansas Says the Pla form Will be Sound.

St. Louis. June 8 -No soluti

puzzling question as to what shall

with the negro delegates to the

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THE CONVENTI

No Intention of Hotel Disc

APPLIED FOR ROOMS TOO

tion Against Negr

Delegates.

convention has yet been effect proprietors of the leading hotels they refused to entertain the col but say their rooms are all eng they cannot accommodadte no much as they might wish. Young, proprietor of the San Chronicle, and member of the committee, says it is not the du committee to secure hotel acc tions for delegates either white He would oppose any effort be before the committee. Opini widely touching the money pie national platform. P. H. Lan prictor of the Salt Lake Tribune s the belief that the platform w for noither single standard nor but be of a character that free s can stand on it. Hon. Cy L Kansas, national committeen "McKinley is for sound mone you please-and as much silver Ho's as much opposed to th heresy as he is to free trade. No sions whatever will be made to men from the west. Those fo take what we give them, and if like it, they can bolt. In fact, to see some of them bolt. We do without them, with New New Jersey, and we've got a those states and Connecticut, to bers of the Business, Men's I the negro trouble arises from th negrous are delaying the securin That's true, as the hotels are now, neither whites nor negro accommodated. The league,

set at rest what will be the vita the platform upon which Mc pects to stand. "What will ! ley's platform on financial o asked a reporter of Thompson. be for the single gold standard simple," he replied, "and to be continued be, "I will add that th platform of McKinley always the antithesic of what is known silverism and so it will be th Quarters Offered Colored De

will see colored men properly or

Ex-Congressman Thompson.

pro tempore of the McKiplev

of the New York McKinley le graphed J. J. Hill, delegate fr sippi, to the Republican nation tion deploring the treatment delegates at St. Louis, in the hotel accommodations. Milho ed: "The New York McKinl special train of parlor, saloon night and will be placed at t of yourself and other reputa delegates and friends who can

commodated otherwise." Mark Banna's Departu Cleveland, Ohio, June 9.—2 Hanna, the manager of Major canyass for the presidency, will 5t. Louis this afternoon in a sp over the Blg Four road. He companied by a few friends, a will be made as quietly as pos Hanna says there will be no ! or streamers on his train, as h to making a demonstration. Kinley will remain at Canton convention, and will receive the

ma's headquarters in St. Louis. Luter. Cleveland, June 9 .- Hou. Hanna left this afternoon for accompanied by Senator Rec tor, of Vermont, Abner McKi McKinley's brother, and Gene of Boston, cousin of McKinley unstration was made when the They expect to reach St. Le row morning. Hon. Joseph Me through the city for Str Louis

a private wire connected with

Cultom Does Not Expect An Washington, June 9.—Senat when snoken to yesterday in his naise being put in nomin

Louis said: "I do not expect my name nomination. I have had no tion with the delegates who for me in Illinois, and I do what is the intention of thos from Illinois who are not it vote for McKinley. My incl

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